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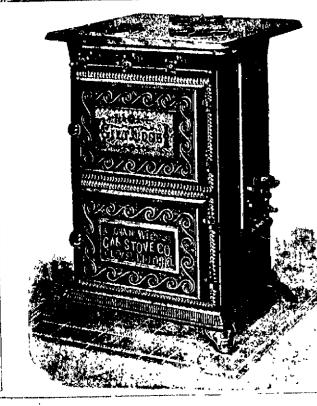
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Executors' Notice. Estate of David F. Hamsher, Decease Estate of David F. Hamsher, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executors of the estate of David F. Hamsher, late of the county of Macon and state of History, deceased, hereby give natice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decutar, at the Mayterin, on the flut Monday in May next, at which time all persons having clubes against sail estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are supposed in a suppose of having the same adjusted. Dated this 19th day of March, 1889.

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the same tennedy. I gladly offer this testimony for the benefit of all similarly affilted."—F. H. Hassler, Editor Argus, Table Rock, Nebr.

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Our little girl when but three weeks old broke out with eczema. We tried the prescription from several good doctors, but without any special bencht. We tried S. S. S. and by the time one bottle was gone, her head begun to lead, and by the time size hottle wind taken six bottles size was completely cuted. Now she has a full and heavy head of lattern colust healthy child. I fent it but my dire to make this statement. If T. SHOBLI, lich Hill, Mo.

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THE DEMON OF THE GIBBET.

There was no west, there was no cast, No star abroad for eye to see; And Norman spurred his jaded beast Hard by the terrible gallows tree.

"O Norman, haste across this waste, For something seems to follow me!" "Cheer up, denr Maud, for, thanked be God, We nigh have passed the gallows tree!"

to kissed her lip, then spur and whip, And fast they fied across the lea; but value they fied across the lea; For something leaped from the gallows tree!

Give me your cleak, your knightly cleak, That wrapped you oft beyond the sea; the wind is bold, my bones are old, And I am cold on the gallows tree."

"O holy God! O dearest Maud, Quick, quick, some prayer, the best that bo! A bony hand my neck has spanned, And tears my knightly cloak from me!"

"Give me your wine, the red, red wine, That in the flask hangs by your knee, Ton summers burst on the accurst. And I'm athirst on the gallows tree " "Oh, Maud, my life! my leving wife! Have you no power to set us free? My beit unclasps, a demon grasps And drugs my wine flask from my knee!"

"Give me your bride, your bonny bride, That left her nest with you to fice; Ob, she hath flown to be my own, For I'm alone on the gallons tree."

"Cling closer, Mand, and trust in God!
Cling close!—Ah, heaven, she slips from mo!"—
A prayer, a groan, and he alone
Rode on that night from the gailows tree.
—Fitz James O'Brien.

Ball Room Manners. A society woman writes deprecatingly

of the want of manners that so many people exhibit at balls and other social entertainments, and of the ruthlessness with which they will Interrupt an interesting conversation. How are they to know that it is interesting? Well, if they have only a little discrimination

they will be able to see for themselves. "Once upon a time," she says, "it was understood that opportunities were to be waited for, and tete-a-tetes were not abruptly broken in upon." But such a state of things-if it ever existed-exists no longer. A woman will becken to a man across the drawing room, and lol he will arise and go, leaving the woman he had been talking to all alone, and perhaps she knows no one else in the 100m Another woman will cross the 100m and enter into conversation with a man who is enjoying a quiet talk with unother woman, whom she does not know. But it is so easy to ignore the other woman! A man will seek out another man who has retired to a secluded corner with a pretty girl, and, not know-ing the girl, will tell his friend he wants to introduce him to a certain lady. If

you are a woman, your host or hostess comes up and carries off the man to whom you are talking, in order to introduce him to some one else, and you are left standing alone, perhaps in the middle of the room. These are actual occurrences —Philadelphia Press.

A Strange Feathered Cannibal. A remarkable bird, about the size of robin and much resembling a kingfisher without the prominent tuft of feathers, attracted considerable attention on a street in Kennebee, Me., recently. Fly-ing along to an English sparrow, with one dart of his hooked beak he killed the little bird, and then, placing one foot upon his victim's breast, proceeded to tear in pieces and devour him. A stage driver picked up the feathered cannibal and his prey and carried them into a near by store, where, perched upon the counter, he devoured the sparrow with apparent telish. The bird seemed to have no fear of any one, and showed no antipathy against anything but the sparrows, several of which he killed dur-

known to any who saw him, but it is thought he is one of the variety known as butcher bird,-Maine Paper Fraudulent Pawn Tlokets.

ing the afternoon. His species was un-

A gang of swindlers whose specialty in crime was the fraudulent imitation of Mont de Piete pledges, or pawn tickets, has just been discovered. Ayuncular guarantees of this description have frequently been falsified in Paris by a process known among those who live by their wits as the lavage des fastes. But the knights of industry who have been captured went further than this and bod-ily fabricated fictitions pledges, which they sold in large quantities to purchasers or marchands do reconnaissances du Mont de Piete. The swindlers had succeeded in realizing about £1,000 between them by their transactions when pounced upon by the police. At their headquarters in the Faubourg St. Martin was found a complete manufactory of false tickets.

—Paris Cor. London Telegraph

Discoveries of what has been already discovered are not infrequent. One of the latest cases in point is that of Mr. Kitton, the high priest of English Dick-ens worship Mr. Kitton declares "it is not generally known that the name of Charles was entered in the baptismal register of St. Mary's (the parish church of Portsea) as Charles John Huftham Dickens." If it is not generally known, it is not the fault of the great novelette biographers. Dickens dropped the John Huffham carly, despite the fact that it was the name of his father's old friend.

Every mother knows how often little ones get something in the eye. Take hold of the lashes of the upper lid with the left hand, and pressing the dull point of a pencil against the middle of the lid, turn it upward; then remove the sub-stance with a camel's hair brush or the corner of a soft handkerchief. Particles

Particles in the Eye.

Boston Transcript.

of lime often cause great pain if they get into the eye, as any one who has ever whitewashed a colling can testify. Apply weak vinegar to neutralize the alkali and remove the particle as directed.—Herald

Some people wonder why the corporals of police never find the patrolmen sitting lown on their beats. And then they wonder why the corporals, in making their rounds, pound on the sidewalks with clubs loud enough for the patrol-

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Master in Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88.

MACON COUNTY, § 185.

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery
To January Term, A. D. 1883.

Hickman E. Foster vs. Harvey Pasco et al—Mechanic's Lien. In Chancery. No. 13,265.

Public notice is heroby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the January Term,
A. D. 1889, by the said Court, in the above entitied cause, I. John A. Brown, Masker in Chancery of said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the
hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

Saturday the 20th day of Acoust A. P.

hom of two o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 20th day of April A. D. 1889.

at the west outside entrance door leading to the Circuit Court room in said Macon county, sell at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit Lois ten (10) and eleven (11) in block be, seven (7) of Higgins' addition to the city of Decatur, Illinois, subject to all prior lieus as shown by decree in said cause.

Trims of Sair —Cash, subject to redemption.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this, 21st day of March, A. D. 1889. JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery of Mason Co., III. A. G. WEBBER, Complainant's Solicitor. mar22-045.

Master in Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS, 1 88.

MACON COUNTY. 188.

In Chemi Court of Macon County—In Chancery.

To January Torin A. D. 1889.

Maze Livingston vs. John H. Thurston et al—
Original Bill. And Donla Spicer vs. John H.

Thurston et al—Cross Bill. No. 18,174.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the January Torin,

A. D. 1889, by the said Court, in the above entitled cause, I. John A. Brown, Master in Chanery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the
hour of two o'clock in the alternoon, on

Mondau, the 29th dan of Ameril. A. D. Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D.

at the west entrance door leading to the circuit court room stairway in said Macon county, sell at public vendue to the highest and uest bloder, the following described real catato, iping and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, towit. Lot eighteen (18) in block nine (0) of Smith & Co,'s Addition to the City of Decaute, Illinois, sale to be made subject to rights of complainants in the original bill, and also subject to the balance of \$27.371 owing to said John H. Thurston and secured by his mortgage.

Trains of Salk-Cash, subject to redemption, lated at Decaute, Illinois, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1889.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, † 84. MACON COUNTY, † 12. In Circuit Court of Macon County—in Chancery To January Term, A. D. 1889. Martha M. smith vs. Harvey Pasco et al, Origi-nal Bill, and Hugh Crea vs. Harvey Pasco et al, Cross Bill, No. 13,299. Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the January Term A. D. 1889, by the said count, in the above cuit thet cause, I. John A. Brown, Master in Charles enty for said fascan county, lifnois, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on Monday, the 29th Day of April, A. D.

at the west entrance door leading to the circuit court room stairway, in said Macon county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidden, the following described real estate, flying said being in the rounty of Macon, state of Himols, forwir Lot No. 8x (0) of block No. seven (7), of Higgins' Addition to the City of Decaute, Ill.

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Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 1st day of
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April, A. D. 1839.

JOHN A. BROWN,
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ODTIEN & PAGE, Complainants' Solicitois,
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MAGON COUNTY, [87]
In Gleatt County of Macon County—In Chancery,
To Junuary Term, A. D. 1889.

Jared T. Newman vs. Harvey Pasco et al. Farecheure, and Hogh Crea vs. Harvey Pasco et al.
Gross Bill No 15,53

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a degree entered at the Jammay Term,
A. D. 1889, by the sald Count, in the above entifield cause I. John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the
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at the west entrance door leading to the circuit court noon stalt way in said blacen county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following desclind real catale, tying and being in the county of Micon, state of Illinois, to wit Lot No, nine (9) of block No, seven (7), Illygins' Addition to the City of Decata, 11.

Trans or Salr-Cash, subject to redemption. tion.
Dated at Decatur, Ellinois, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1889.

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JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery of Macon County, Illinois OUTTEN & PACP, Complainants' Solicitors, april 1-diw Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 1 SS MACON COUNTY, 1 In Circuit Cant of Macon County - In Chancery, To January Ferm, A. D. 1889. Harriet Hanford vs. Harvey Pasco et al -Orig-nal Bill. And Hugh Crea vs. Harvey Pasco et al -Cross Bill. No. 13,201 PUBLE TOON BIR. NO. 15,281

Public notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the January Term A. D. 1889, by the said Court, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Charlery of said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

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OUTEN & PAGE, Complainants' Solicitors,
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MACON COUNTY. 185
In Circuit Count of Macon County—in Chancery,
To Jamary Term, A. D. 1889.

Jarel T. Newman's, Harvey Pasco et al, Origimil Bill, and Delphine Brown vs. Harvey Pisco
et al, Cross Bill No. 13,257.

Public notice is hereby given, that, in parsonance of a decree entered at the Jamuary Term,
A. D. 1880, by the said court, in the above entitled
counts, I. John A. Brown, Master in Chancery
for said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour
of two o'clock in the afternoon, on
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at the west entrance door leading to the circuit court room stairway, in said Macon county, sell, at public winding to the lightest and best bidder, the following described tent seater lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. ten-(no) of block No. nine (9), of the Western Addition to the City of Decatur, Ill.

TRIMS OF SALE.—Cash, subject to redemption. Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1889. JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chaucery of Macon county, Ill.
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Master in Chancery's Sale. MACON COUNTY, in Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancer; To January Term, A. D. 1890.

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Delphine Brown vs. Harvey Pasco et ai—Original Bill. And Hugh Crea vs. Harvey Pasco et al—Crosy Bill. No. 13,280.

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at the west entrance door leading to the circuit court room stairway in said Macon county, sell an public vendue to the highest and best baider, the following described real estate, lying said being in the county of Macon, state of illinois, to-wit: Lot No. twenty-five (25), of block No. six (3) of Higgins' Addition to the city of Decatur, illinois, or Sale—Cash, subject to redemption. Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this let day of April, A. D. 1889.

JOHN A. BROWN. Master in Chancery of Macon county, III.

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Gents' Full Regular Half Hose, Fancy Stripes at 17c per pair. Gents' Extra Fine Half Hose, Fancy Colors, at 25c a pair. Gents' Regular Made Lisle Hose, at 35c, worth 50c per pair. Gents' Fine Balbriggan Undershirts, worth 45c, at 29c each. 36 dozon Gents' French Lisle Underwear in modes, grays and facey stripe, at 50c each, worth 75c.

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FRIDAY EVE., APRIL 5, 1889.

CARTER HARRISON is said to be the werst disappointed man in Chicago. Tax troubles of Mayor Oregier may

now be said to have fairly begun. EDWIN BOOTH, at last accounts, was improving, and his friends expect him to resume the stage in a week or ten

BERINGGIELD turned a political somersault at the city election on Tuesday. The Democrats elected everything there was in sight save one lone alderman. He will be lonesome.

EDWIN BOOTH, according to Mr. J. H. McVicker, of Chicago, has been an inveterate smoker, using only the very strongest cigars. What an argument for the cigarette smokers!

Since the senate declined to "advise and consent to" the nonunation of Marat Halstend as minister to Germany, the applicants for the place are not abundant. One thing may be regarded as cortainno editor need apply.

Rooms Q. Minns, of Texas, is again loose in the county. He made a speech at Springhend, Ohio, a few nights ago, on the occasion of a banquet given by the Jefferson Club, and took for his text "the robber tariff." Will Mills never get done playing on that mournful string? THE popular impression of life insur-

ance, and a by no means inscourate one, is that it is a provision against want for the poor or those in moderate circumstances. But rich mon are also among its staunchest advocates and adherents. Mr. ABis, the Milwaukoo millionaire, who died last Monday, carried life insurance to the amount of nearly \$500,000. BTANLEY'S letter does not carry the

story of his movements to a much later date than the intelligence from him did which was received two or three months ago through Tippoo Tib. It throws light, however, on several matters connected with his wanderings which up to this time have been enveloped in darkness. On this account it is interesting. It also strongthens the popular idea that Stanley is sure to "turn up" all right in the ond.

The spirit of Democracy is about the same in all the states and territories. There is Gov. Ross, of New Mexico. whose encossor has been appointed but who has not yet arrived on the ground. Ross is making appointments to the territorial offices, some of which have just been created, and he manages to find Democrats to fill all of them, so that the new governor will find himself greatly embarrasaci when he takes possession of the gubernatorial chair. But Democrats never lose an opportunity to get one of their kind into office, no matter if they have to strotch the law a little in order

Mas. Hausison is recovering from her illness, but was not strong enough to accompany her daughter and a party of friends on their Ploride trip the other day. We are selently assured that Mrs. Harrison's diness is attributable to the unhealthful condition of the thouse. That may all be true, but Grover Gleveland stuck to it protty closely for four years, and seemed to prove fat on it. If the White House is so notoriously discontinuously discontinuously dependently, why do so many smart people seem willing to risk their lives in it? And show the occupants why do pretty much all the occupants why do pretty much all the occupants why do pretty nuch all the occupants way regain his strength and be able to remain in doors for a while, keeping quiet and resting. He thinks Mr. Booth will in this way regain his strength and be able to remain in doors for a while, keeping quiet and resting. It thinks Mr. Booth will in this way regain his strength and be able to remain in the unusually large number of incondings in the interest of the mayor has offered a reward of 500 for the arrest of the guns putrol the city at night. The first man caught in the act of setting fire to property will be shot. unboalthful condition of the White the unbesithy old place?

THE old warning, that it is never safe to count your checkens before they are hatched, is respectfully called to the attention of those Democrats who are aiready running Joe Hewes for sheriff of Macon county. This thing of starting a man out for office a couple of years in advance of the election seldom pans out antisfactority. Bosides, there is to be another township election before the sheriffalty is to be disposed of, and such a thing might happen as Mr. Howes getting himself sat down upon before that time. It is a good down like elemning that Illinous will go Demouratic at the next state election, because the city of Chiengo went that way at the late city election.

SENATOR ALLISON, III into of the mugazines, argues in favor of an extra accesson of Congress, but says it ought to begin in the fall and not in the spring mouths. The surplus, in his opinion, will be small, and the embarrasement in consequince is not likely to be great. Still he is convinced that Congress should be bron ht together earlier than December, when the regular session begins. On this quasion the Iowin speaks with authority, Many persons who have given reose thought to the matter will doubt the wisdom of calling the session for no late. thought to the matter with constitution of calling the session for so late a date as October, the month which he suggests, but most of them are convinced that there should be a called session some time within the next five or six months.

The Rhode Island Election. PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 5.—The Legislature stands, on joint ballot, 45 Republicans and 47 Democrats, with sixteen members to be elected. There will be a hard fight over these sixteen, and each party hopes to secure the necessary majority in the Logislature to elect its State ticket. The Republicans will have to roos to socuro the necessary ma-

elect ten or the Democrate eight in order Robert Carrett at Home Again. Baltimons, Md., April 5.—Robert Car-rett returned to his country home near this city yesterday afternoon. A reporter the visited blm last evening states that Mr. Garrett looks very pale, and does not weigh over 175 pounds—fifty pounds

Highter than he was two yours ago. Mr. Garrett stated that he felt quite well, but did not want to see anybody on business

BROOKLYN, April 5.—Rev. Ed K. Beecher, who fell under a train and had his leg-crushed Wednesday night, is still at the Sences Hospital. The injured log was basterday morning. Dr. amputated yesterday morning. Dr. Beecher is in good spirits, and, owing to his fine constitution, may recover, though to most men of sighty-five years the shock he has undergone would prove fatal.

A Poor Showing.

NEW YORK, April 5.—The report of the Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolus railroad, for the year ending December 1, 1888, deshows gross earnings, \$6,411,188; deshows gross earnings, \$6,411,188; deshows gross earnings, \$6,411,188; designed at the Spencer & Lehman Co.

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EDWIN BOOTH.

The Cendition of the Great Actor Pronounced More Favorable by His Physicians.

The Effort to Put the Best Phase upon the Case Painfully Apparent.

Mr. Booth Ques to His Home in New York, While the Company Appear at Buffalo.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 4.-Mr. Booth arose at eight o'clock this morning. Dr. Sumner called on him and found his condition much improved. The actor is now able to speak quite plainly. He took breakfust in his room. Dr. Sumner advised him he toke a reat for a week or vised him to take a rest for a week o ten days. The doctor left about nine

A Post-Express reporter called on the physician at his residence on North Clinton street. In reply to the question: "What is Mr. Booth's condition this morning?" the doctor said: "Mr. Booth is feeling a great deal better to-day." "Did you consider his condition last night durming?"
"I did not think it was immediately

dangerous. I found that he had sustained a slight atroke of paralysis, which prevented the power of speech. The paralysis affected his entire left side. He was sis affected his entire left side. He was unable to speak, and or course I told him he could not go on with his part. It was thought at first that the attack would pass away in a few minutes, but I feit sure it was impossible for him to resume his part. His condition was indeed pitiful. As he lay there in his dressing-room looking appealingly at Mr. Barrett and myself, unable to speak a word, my heart feit for him keenly. We did all we could to aid the suffering tragodian and as soon as possible had him removed to as soon as possible had him removed to

his hotel." "Do you think Mr. Booth's strength w an actor is injured by this attack?"
"That I can not say. I think with a res "That I can not say he will be ab's to feep his engagements. Last night's at-tack, however, is a premonition of what is bound to come. I think that within a few years Mr. Booth will suffer a final attack, which may rob America of its greates

Mr. Booth's manager, Arthur B. Chase said: "The reports of Mr Booth's Illness have been much exaggerated. He is not looking well, and speaks as plainly as

What do you think caused last night' stroke?"
"I have no doubt that the immediate cause of the attack was excessive cigs

smoking. Mr. Booth smokus about twenty smoking. Mr. Booth smokus about twenty strong imported cigars a day, and fre-quently uses a pipe. I told Mr. Booth this morning I thought this was the cause. He smilled and said: 'I couldn't give up my cigar.' I think he will smoke less In reply to an inquiry from the Detroit Journal he instructed Manager Chase to

eay that he will keep his engagement in that city week after next. Mr. Barrett that city week atternment to keep the Booth-Bar-rett engagements. Lawronce Hanley will probably rake Mr. Booth's part. The company will play in Buffalo to-night and the remainder of the week and will thence go to Cleveland. Lawrence Barrett ex pressed his grief at the unfortunate con-dition of things.

Edwin Booth left for New York at 10:36

a. m., by the New York Central. Law-rence Barrett and the company went to Buffalo at 11:30. Mr. Booth walked from the carriage to the train without assist-ance, and carried a light sachel slung over his shoulder, while a wooden tooth-pick of plain, unvariated type, rested between his lips. If old not look like a

Edwin Booth in New York-In Good Spirits, but Weak. NEW YORK, April 5 .- Edwin Booth arlynd from Rochester at 7:30 p. m. yester day, and was mut by his physician, Dr. St. Clair Smith. The two took a carriage and drove to the Players' Club. Mr. Booth was in good spirits, but not very robust.

SUCCESSIVILLY RESISTED.

The Settlers on the Des Moines River Lands Drive Off the Officials
Sent to Exict Them.

Four Dodos, la., April 5.—United States marshals who attempted to make evictions from the Des Moines river lands vesterday were mot with armed resistance and were driven from the field. A mob of settlers, fully equipped with Winchester rilles, assembled at the homes of the settiers to be evicted and defled the officials, and the latter discreetly reliced without attempting to force the farmers from their lands. United States Marshal Desmond, of Dubnque, will be called upon for more assistance before any further evictions will be attempted. Sheriff Adams and a posse are in the county to make arrests for conspiracy.

Due Moines, ie., April 5.—A United States marsual and posse were fired on yesterday from a dense thicket of hazel-brush while in the act of evicting a farmer named Blake from the Litchfield lands, hetter known as the Des Moines River lands, sixteen miles from Webster City. Probably forty shots were fired by as many armed sottlers, but the marksman. ship was poor or the range was inten-tionally wide, for none of the deputies were hurt. The posse had a number of writs, but, as they were only armed with revolvers, they did not attempt to serve them, and retreated in good order.

Fred Douglass at the Colored Exposi-tion

JACKBONVILLE, Fla., April 5. — Fred
Douglass was yesterday the gnest of the
colored people. A procession number-ing five hundred, including military companies, eccorted him from the railroad station to the Exposition grounds, where he delivered a short address, congratuinting the colored people of Florida upon their progress since emancipation. To-day he lectures at the Exposition. The city is full of colored people from all parts of the South. Mr. Douglass re-

mains here two days langer. BACHMAN BROS. have the largest furn ture store in the city, the most complete line of fine bedroom and parlor suits, and overything from the cheapest to the very best in their line. Give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, corner of State and East Main streets. mark-dimo

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Linen & Survices have reduced prices on Cornets dawlf Fighd and Garden Seeds for sale by the Spencer & Lebman Co. Feb 28-d&w2m

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-Navigation has been resumed in the Straits

-Messra Alger, Forsker and Bisine have recently bought yest coal fields in Tenness cently bought was coal fields in Tennessees.

The Marquis of Ely died Wadnesday night white traveling in Italy. He was born in 1849.

—A gaie from the northwest unroofed forty houses, basides doing other damage, in Battimors, Wednesday evening.

—The condition of Dr. McCosh, of Princetos (N. J.) College, has greatly improved, and he is the total tray in an easy chair.

Probable Verdict in the Lydecker Case-Hot for Oklahoma-A Badly Frightened Crowd. -Biemarck is said to be deeply interested in the measures to be taken by the United States to replace the vessels lost at Samoa. -The Navy Department is considering the expediency of attempting the recovers of the Got the "Grand Bounce"-The Presi-

dent Going Plahing-Robert expediency of attempting the recovery of the fine modern rifled guns carried down with the Treaton. Lincoln's Nomination. -Emperor William has dishonored his ?

The Mateorology of the Pacific Ocean.
Washington, April 5.—The following circular was issued yesterday from the hydrographic office of the Navy Department: ther's memory by restoring to favor Dr. Vo Puttkamer, dismissed in disgrace by Empere —A number of the victims evicted from the Des Moines River lands, in Iows, have returned and planted crops. Warrants for their ment:

The recent wrecks and loss of life in the harbor of Apia, Samoan Islands, have strongly emphasized the importance of collecting and publishing as much information as possible relative to the meteorology of the Pacific Ocean. It is the intention of this office to commence the publication, at an early date, of a monthly pilot chart of the North and Bouth Pacific oceans, similar in its general phas to us pilot chart of the North atlantic Ocean issued by this office. It is carnestly requested that reliable information relative to hurricanes in the Pacific, especially the one about Samoa, March 15 and 16, be forwarded to this office, to any of its branch offices, or to any United States Consul, for transmission to Washington. Officers in charge of branch hydrographic effices will give this circular as wide publicity as possible, and make every effort to collect data. Very respectfully, (Signed)

G. L. Dyras, Hydrographer.

The Lydecker Court-Martial—The Proba-

-Mrs. Turner Bargent, daughter of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, who had been ill for hearly two months, died Wednesday evening at her Inter's nome in Boston.

"The complete vote of the State of Rhode
Island gives Ladu, for Governor, 16,162: Davis,
21,850; Richardson, 1,611; Chace, 2,433. Davis
has a plurality of 4,899, but lacks 548 votes of an
election. -Edward Dietz, a Pittaburgh (Pa.) laborer.

arrest have been lasued.

Edward Dietz, a Pittaburgh (Ps.) laborer, killed one of his children, a little girl three years of age, Wednesday, and then out his own thront. The deed was the result of a quarrel between Dietz and his wife. between Dietz and his wife.

- Two Omaha delegations are in Washington and had interviews with Secretary Windom yesterday about the location of the new postoffice building in Omaha. There will be a lively war over the question.

- Mrs Catharine Donohoe, aged thirty, was found dond at her home in South Boston Wednesday night under suspicious circumstances. Her husband has been arrested, aboved with her taking off.

charged with her taking off. charged with her taking off.

—Major Davis, the Judge-Advocate of the Lydecker court-martial, is hard at work upon the record of the proceedings. He expects to be able to report the findings of the court to Secretary Proctor this evening.

—Fire destroyed the building and contents of the Standard Iron-works at West Superior, Wis., Wednesday night. Loss. 445,000; no insurance. Strothman Bros., the owners, say they will rebuild on a larger scale.

—Superintment Brown of the Rochester

they will reduite on a larger scale.

—Superintendent Brower of the Rochester (N. Y.) street-ear company reported twenty-five cars running yesterday morning on four routes. The usual number is 123. No trouble was reported and no more arrests had been made.

mate.
—Yesterday was Fast Day in Massachusetts, and was generally observed. The banks, exchanges and business houses were closed, and newspapers in many of the cities and towns suspended publication of their evening edi-Hons.

—George Ward, assistant postmaster at El-mira, N. Y., is missing, and so are the contents of the office safe, supposed to amount to \$1,500. Ward left on a night train and is thought to be in Canada. He icaves a wife and six chil-

-The French ministry has asked the Chamber of Deputies to sanction the presention of Boulanger, and has submitted a statement re-viewing the General's career state the gom-mune, and charging him with attempting to de-stroy the republic.

by the Baltimore & Ohio railread, and filled with delogations, from Washing-ton, Baltimore, Philadelphia and other stroy the copubile.

"The coreoner's jury in the case of the New York City saloon-keeper, John J. Kessler, who was killed on the night of March 7 by falling down a flight of stairs, yesteriay rendered a vordict that death was due to an accidental rordict that death was due to an accidental fall, and exonciated his wife.

Arabs arriving at Stanley Falls report that Stanley and Emil Pashs were seen in Fabrulary of this year marching in company toward Evanthar Their force consisted of several thousand men, women and children, and they parried with them 6,00 tusks of tvory

—The decree of forcedance of the Governous Standard When the case came to trial vestands.

When the case came to trial yesterday, Evans and six colored mon who witnessed the shooting testified that they were too frightened to identify Evans' assailant. —The decree of foreclosure of morigage against the Wabash Railway Company for sums aggregating \$30,000,000 in favor of James R. Jessup and other trustees for the bondholders of sup and other trustees for the bondholders or the various branches of the Wabash system, has been entered in the United States Court at Indianapolis

-There are some fine positions yet to be riven out in the Department of Justice, among them a number of sasistant and special attorneyships, to represent the United States in suits in the Supreme Court and in the Dourt of Claims. The empluments of these offices very from \$2,500 to \$0,500 a year.

The Atlanta Constitution prints a history of the Southern Phu-Straw combins which, it is understood, intends lighting the Jate Trust in the baggling business. The pine combination has built a large new mill at Conly, S. C., which will turn out 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 yards by baggling a year. bi bagging a year.

About a month ago James Vicears, a Minnunpollabook-keeper, disappeared inexpiteably
but the day he was to wed Hattle Ray. He now
lurns up at Grass Lake, Mich, and says it was
a case of aboration He is unwilling to return
for fear of ridicule, and the wedding will
probably nover come off.

-William S. Bryant, of the St. Louis High School, has learned something shout sulphurle acid. He drew into his mouth through a syphon a large quantity of the acid, and was so overcome with pain that he fell to the floor. A lady together fainted and the pupils were great-ity excited. By the application of antidotes he

is making arrangements to go on a fish-ing trip. Before the adjournment of the Benate, he told several of his friends that Sonate, he told several of his riches was the thought of going away for a short trip in the early part of April. It is probable he will go down the Chesapeake, Saturday, with Secretary Windom, on a revenue cutter, to be gone two or three days. as relieved of the poin. -Win. Anderson, of St. Louis, convicted of the murder of his wife at the March term of court, and sentenced on March 2 to be banged.

was to have paid the pensity of his erime to-day, but the case was appealed to the Supreme Court, and a stay of execution has been granted until May 1. and a stay of execution has been granted -Prof. Ernest, a music teacher who recently

A Guest of Mrs. Harrison.
WASHINGTON, April 5.—Miss Ida Murphy, daughter of a prominent physician
of St. Paul, arrived here yesterday afternoon as the guest of Mrs. Harrison, at -- Prof. Kriesi, a inductionary into recently eloped with the wife of a Winnipey groom, returned to that city Wednesday night. A squad of about thirty men dragged him from house and gave him a coat of sirup, axis greess and feathers. He was then allowed to go kiter promising to leave the city and never return.

Washington, April 5. - Cooker F. Clarkson, of Iowa, has been appointed -E. C. Green and M. L. Ely, brakemen on the Decatur division of the Louisville & Nash-ville railway, were killed yeaterday in a colli-sion at Brown's cross-road, near Nashville. Albert Finon, froman, was severoly injured. misunderstanding of orders caused the dent. The two engines and sixteen cars were

Vatal Termination of a Quarrel About -Articles for a glove contest between Jo-—Articles for a glove contest between Joe Pacific coast, and Thomas Lees, of Australia, were signed Wednerday night. The contest is to take pince in the latter part of May at the Golden Gate Athletic Club rooms. The winner will be awarded a purso of \$1750 subscribed by the members of the olub.

—In the Daunhin County (Pa.) Court vaster. NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 6.-A special to the American from Covington, Tenn., says that D. S. Billings, a popular young school teacher, instantly killed A. J. Arlro, ex-tax collector of the county, by shooting, at Burleson, Wednesday. The trouble arose over the building of a fence between their property. Billings immediately surrendered, was tried and acquitted on the plus of self-detense.

In the members of the other.

In the Dauphin County (Pa) Court yester day the Baltimore & Ohio Tolegraph Company that wa answer to the chains of the Attorney-General of Ponnsylvania in the case brought to prevent a consolidation with the Western Union. They deny that the latter company has acquired the whole or any part of the capital stock, nor do they hold the telegraph line in the State of Ponnsylvania,

Requisition Granted. Requisition Granual.

Halifax, N. S., April 6.—Judge Ritchle has granted extradition in the case of Hardie, the New York forger, and the prisoner has been remanded to await the arrival of the necessary papers at Otta-wa. Hardie's counsel will probably ap-peal to the Supreme Court.

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The Lydeoker Court-Martial—The Proba-ble Verdict.

Washington, April 5.—Major Davis, the Judge-Advocate of the Lydecker court-martial, is hard at work upon the record of the proceedings. He expects to be able to report the findings of the court

to Secretary Proctor this evening. They will then be sent to the Judge-Advocate-

General's office for examination and re-

port, and upon his commendations the Secretary may form his conclusions and

decide whother or not the findings of the court shall be approved. The trend of opinion at the War Department is that

the court has found Major Lydecker

guilty of neglect of duty, but that the sentence does not amount to a dismissal.

A reprimend is the least that could be given, and it is thought the sentence will lie between the two, something like a sus-

Hol for Onluhoms

Washington, April 5.—A movement was put on foot recently to start a township in the Oklahoma country to be peopled with Washingtonians. Assurance is

now had that one hundred ex-Union sol

diers will join the movement, and appli-cations have come in so rapidly from De

partment clerks that it has been found necessary to limit the membership in the

colony. The advance guard will start on the 20th, on a special train to be made up

Robert Lincoln's Nomination.

WARHINGTON, April 5.—Robert T. Lin-coln, Minister to England, said in an in-

terview yesterday morning that he would start for his post in about six weeks. Speaking of the suddenness of his appointment, Mr. Lincoln said that he first intimation he had that his name was

ander consideration was whon he received

The "Grand Bounce" in the Govern-

There are to be a few more discharges

from time to time, until the number of employes corresponds with the amount

President Harrison Going Fishing.

Washington, April 5 .- The President

The details of the arrangements have not

His Pather's Private Secretary.

SELF-DEFENSE.

a Boundary Line.

says that D. S. Billings, a popular young

A General Strike Probable. PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 5.—The railroad coal miners of Western Pennsylvania

met in convention in this city yesterday. The question under consideration was the rate of wages for next year. The

convention took a firm stand against any reduction in wages, and adopted a uni-form rate of 70% cents per ton. The in-

dications are that the operators will no accept this rate, and that there will be

ceneral strike before the question has

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The Growing American Navy The Hydographic Office and the Looked upon with Concern Meteorology of the Paciby European Powers.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Enston Square Hotel Suicide

The Geffcken Incident-The

Pope's Encyclical.

Governments-Death of General

Negus Confirmed.

Gariand.

THE GROWING AMERICAN NAVY.

LONDON, April 5.-There have been re

safety fears have since been expressed, has arrived safely at this port. It tranpart arrived sately at this port. As the spired that before the hurricane come on every precaution had been taken on board the Calliope, five anchors had been dropped and everything made ready for a big blow. In the height of the storm the chains of four anchors anapped and the vessel commenced to drift. Captain Kane then determined to leave the harbor, where the danger of being thrown on the reefs was imminent, and reach, if possible, the open san. This he eventual-ly accomplished after a hard fight, during which the vessel made only a half a knot an hour. The seas that broke over the ship were tremendous and did much dam-Boulanger Warned by the Belgian

age. No lives were lost, however.

Thousands of people are flocking to the vessel, and praise the pluck of Captain Kane in bringing his ship through in No lives were lost, however.

Abyseinia. DEATH OF GRNERAL NEGUS. Rows, April 5.—The news of the death of General Negus at Massowah is confirmed.

control in any indications of British inter-est in the growing strength and import-ance of the United States navy. Articles Retail Price List Flour and Feed. published in American papers regarding the many have been reprinted in English White Loaf flour....\$3.30 per owt Daily Brend flour.....\$3.00 journals, and in various ways it is evident Matchless flour. 2.90 " " that the English experts are keeping Olipper flour... thomselves posted in a very accurate manner as to the new vessels and im- $\overline{2.20}$ $^{\circ}$ Corn flour. Pearl meal and grits..... proved methods of the American navy. The St. James Gazette of yesterday has a long and exhaustive editorial on the sub-ject. Among other things the Gazette says: "The American naval activity says: "The American naval activity looks extremely like business; what sort of husiness, it must be the duty primarily Onts of the diplomatists to consider, but it be BHULLABARGER MILL & ELEVATOR CO hooves us to watch carefully the growth

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514 July. FORE- \$12.80 Apr; \$12.40 May; \$12.45

LAHI \$6.02 April; \$7.00 May; \$7.02

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to the family physician for a prescription, or, on the other hand, wait until you are sick abed before doing anything at all:

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pay, and everybody interested (except the doctor), will feel happy.

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of this new naval power."

The Gazette reminds the Government of the English opinion that the British navy should be equal to the combined SILVER-MOUNTED toilet Hand Glasses at Otto E. Curtis & Bros.' Chicago Grain Market. navies of any two powers, and suggests possible combinations with other naval The following were the closing quotaions in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, releats for the American navy.

tur Grain Co.:

THE EUSTON SQUARE HOTEL SUICIDE. London, April 5.—The only effects found at the Euston Square Hotel belonging to Rev. Sidney Hurd, the Boston clergy-man, who committed suicide last Sunday, man, who committed suicide last Sunday were a neat black portmantesu, a pen-knife and a bunch of keys. There is no doubt that the poor man was greatly re-duced and unfortunate. He had com plained of being wakeful and nervous and took six drahms of opium, which proved to be a fatal dose. CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.

LONDON, April 4.—In the House of Lords last night the members elected Earl Mor-June.
Live Stock—Estimaned recents—Hogs
15,000; market steady.
Onttle, 8,000; market steady.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 16; Spring,
23; Corn, 175; Oats, 82 ley chairman of committees by a vote of 95 to 77, rejecting Lord Balfour of Bur-leigh, who was Lord Salisbury's candidate for the office.

Irsland.

MURDERED IN THE NAME OF LIBERTY. DUBLIN, April 6.—A balliff who had charge of a farm from which the tenants had been evicted at Coleraine, County Londonderry, was shot dead yesterday by unknown parties. SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

DCBLIN, April 5.—The sentence of Den-nis Kilbride, M. P. for South Korry, to three months' imprisonment for offensed under the Crimes act, was confirmed year terday on appeal.

THE GEFFOREN INCIDENT, ETC. Berlin, April 5.—The Socialists of Sunich have nominated Herren, Birck

Vollmar as candidates for election for the Roichstag.
Emperor William has appointed Herr Schmidt, of the firm of Anholt & Wagner, of Berlin, as his private banker, the negotiations with Hanker Cohn having sellen through

fallen through.
The North Berman Gazette, in com-The North Herman Gazette, ill commenting upon the failure of the prosecution by the government of Prof. Geffcken, for publishing extracts of the late Emperor Frederick's diary, says that if it had been known that Prof. Geffcken alone was implicated in the affair, the government would never have prosecuted him. The judge said it was the most remarkable spectacle he had ever seen, and he dismissed the prisoner. ment would never have prosecuted him.
Two thousand bricklayers of Berlin
have struck work on account of low

wages.
Two students of Maunheim University have been sentenced to four mouths' im-prisonment in a fortress for fighting a due) with a Lieutenant of the Mayence

a telephone message from a Chicago newspaper office, asking him if he would accept the position. At that time the nomination had been sent to the Senate. ORDERED TO SAMOA. Kiel, April 6.—The German cruiser Habicht, now at the Cape of Good Hope, and the gun-boat Wolf, have been ordered to Bamon to replace the German vessels ment Printing Office.

WASHINGTON, April 5,-The reduction of force at the Govornment printing-office, which always follows the adjourn-ment of Congress, took place Wednes-day, when about fifty employes were dis-charged. The discharges caused great commotion in the office, as is usual. lost in the recent hurricane. FINED FOR FAILING TO REPORT.

METZ, April 5,—One hundred and forty Aleatians were fined 600 marks each for failing to report themselves for service

THE POPE TO ISSUE AN ENCYCLICAL ROME, April 5.—The Pope will soon put forth a long encyclical letter, devoted chiefly to the question of state socialism His Holiness has been at work for some time on this important document, and has been in frequent consultation with emi-nent Catholic statesmen and leading economiats of the world.

DECIDED TO PROSECUTE. PARIE, April 5.—In the Chamber of Dep-nties yesterday, it was agreed to imme-diately assemble the bureaux in order to elect a committee on the prosecution of

elect a committee on the prosecution of General Boulanger. The deputies having agreed upon the urgeacy of the debate regarding Boulanger's prosecution, the discussion thereon proceeded. M. Paul de Cassegnac said that the charges against General Boulanger were abourd and false. The real arbiter be-tween Boulanger and the government was tween Boulanger and the government was

universal suffrage.

Premier Trard declared that it was the duty of the Chamber to prosecute a man wao was seeking to overthrow the Repub-Office 122 South Water St., Opposite Court House, DEGATUR, - - 15L. lic. "The country must be safe," said he, "against a civil war." The resolution to presecute General Boulanger was carried by a vote of 855 to Having resumed the practice of Law and associated myself with Mr. Lee as above, I will be pleased to receive the patronage of my friends and the public, and can assure them that all matters entrusted to us will receive strict attention. JAMES J. FINN June 21-down

Belgium. WILL GO TO LONDON. HRUSSELS, April 5.—General Houlanges informed a reporter yesterday that it ejected from Belgium he would go to Lon-

ur.
BRUSSELS, April 5.—A demonstration in opposition to General Boulanger on the part of the students was broken up by the police yesterday. MM. Naquett, Mil-yoye and Fanconnerio have arrived and joined the General.

ANTI-BOULANGER DEMONSTRATION BROKEN

THE CALLIOPE SAFE IN PORT. SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 5.—The British man-of-war Calliope, which ran out of the hurricane at Samoa, and for whose

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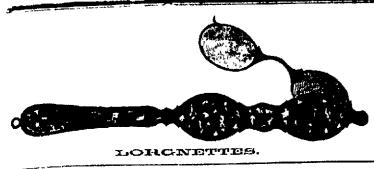
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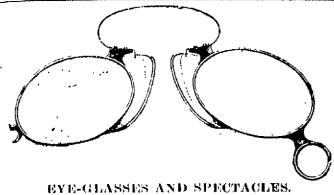
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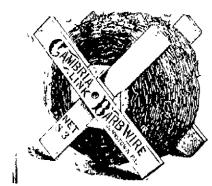


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FRIDAY EVE., APRIL 5, 1889. LOCAL NEWS.

You will find the largest assortment of Baby Carriages in the city, at E. D. Bartholomuw & Co.'s. BAND concert next Tuesday night.

Tuis evening the adjourned session the city council will be held. ELEGANT toilet scaps at Irwin's plum

"LA Tosca" Sun Umbrellas, in boantiful variety, at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's. THE rails for the Decatur Electric treet car line are not yet in sight.

streis- the 18th. One large family on Prairie Avenue wrestling with the measles.

Coming-the Gorman Spectacular Min-

Silver and gold Side Combs at Otto E. Curtie & Bro.'s.

THE funeral of Harry Abbott took lace this afternoon. He died of measles. HEAR the Nourse lecture to-night. John and Jonathan" is the subject. G. A. R. CELEBRATION Saturday evening at the Post Hall. You are invited to

be present. Taxfront of the new Grand Opera House will be a marked piece of architectural beauty on South Water street.

RED paint and all other colors and shades in mixed punt; also brushes to put it on, in fact everything in the paint line, at King & Wood's drug store. 2-dlw A rung line of family groceries can be

had at Niedermeyer's Mound store. Last night the Christian Endeavor Society of (Stapp's Chapel were enter-tained at the D. S. Shellabarger resi-

Cant for the White Foam brand when von want good.

THE ARRYDE five cent cigar is sold at lewin's drug store.

ADMIRERS of Goodman's Band should emember the grand concert to be given by the organization at the opera house Tuesday right. The orchestra will as-

SILVER "Gauntilines" and Glove and Shoe Buttoners at Otto E. Curtis &

C. B. Prescott's music parlor and examme those superior Haines and Everett pinnos. New styles of organs lately re-

Miss A. Millions and sister are in Chieage buying Millinery and looking up

B. STINE has taken possession of the recent addition to his store. He now has unnle room to make a proper display of his large stock of clothing.

THE grocery stock of Johnson & Spence, 150 Merchant street, will be sold at cost for oush by Lehman & Bolen. Store fixtures also for sale. Buy now and save

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You can get fresh butter and good groceries at J. Lytle & Co.'s family store in opera block.

Buy the family favorite-White Loss and Daily Bread flour.

Strver Hairpins, Bookmarks, Stamp Boxes, Bon-Bon Boxes, Letter Openers and Scap Boxes, at Otto E. Curtis &

FRANCES B. CLEGG, rooms 3 and 4 Powers' Block, has returned from Chipage and is prepared to do spring dress

THERE will be a meeting for Bible study to-night at the First M. E. church, ommencing at 7:30, conducted by Rev James Miller. Subject, "The Triumphal Entry." Lesson, Mark 11:1-2. Every body welcome.

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cold, etc." 25 conts. Pains in the back are frequently caused by a sudden wrenching of the spine. A lew applications of Salvation Oil will give permanent relief.

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ROBERT NOURSE closes the lecture course Friday night, April 7th. He will deliver his great lecture, "John and Jonathan." He is one of the keenest, williest and most elequent of platform orators. Hear this talented orator. Tickets 25 and 35 cents.

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TOOK HIS OWN LIFE. Causeless Suicide of Grant Mantle on Central Ayenue.

Grant Manile, a young man of 25 years, ook his own life early this morning at the residence of Rev. L. Field at No. 303 Central Avenue, formerly Durfee street. The body was found in the cellar of the dwelling, and near the right hand was found a blood-stained ruzor, with which the suicide had cut his throat, nearly severing the head from the body. The

deed was evidently committed while standing, as the body lay face downward on the brick iloor, the nose flattened by the fall. The blood had spurted in every direction and stained the wall and floor Coroner Bendure was summoned to take charge of the body. It was borne to an upper room where it was washed and properly dressed for the inquest which was held this afternoon, a verdict of micide being returned, cause unknown The deceased was a tinner by occupa tion and had been in the employ of J. G

Sorgen & Son since last September. He came here from Arrowsmith in McLean county, where his parents reside, and where he became acquainted with his wife, who was a music teacher there Last Thanksgiving day he married Miss Pauline Rutledge, daughter of Dr. Rutledge, a dentist at Hillsboro, Ill. The couple made their home with Rev. Field, Mrs. Mantle taking charge of the house hold. A short time ago Mrs. Mantle desired to go to Hillsboro and Shelbyville on a visit. Rev. Field and Mr. Mantel kept house alone, the elder doing the cooking. Mr. Mantle put in a full day's work yesterday and was in good spirits last night, having received an affectionate letter from his wife who wrote that she would soon return home. In the letter the wife wrote that her return was delayed because her father had

This morning Elder-Field heard Mantle moving about down stairs, and he arose to hurry down and prepare breakfast. When the Elder reached the kitchen he found that Mantle had made the fire in the stove and put on the kettle. Breaklast was prepared, but Mantle did not appear. Failing to find him any where in the yard or in the upper rooms the Elder went into the cellar, where Mantle was found dead in the situation lescribed above.

been giving her teeth necessary at-

The Elder and Mr. Sorgen are both greatly shocked over the distressing end of Mantle whom they regarded as a happy man, with no known trouble, financial or social, to cause him to take his life. He was an excellent workman, capable of doing well any work connected with the tinner's trade.

News of the suicide has been telegraphed to the parents of the deceased, to his wife, and to Dr. Rutledge at

THERE is to be a recount of the votes cast for Collector in Bloomington. The count gave Spain, Republican, a majority of 22 over Chrisman, Democrat. Mr. C. will begin proceedings on the 21st for :

The Alter Society of St. John's olurch will give a sale of bread, cakes etc., at the residence of Hon, T. H. Macoughtry at St. John's Place Saturday afternoon, April 6th.

THE program has been made up for the Goodman Band concert to be given Tuesday night. The Opera House Orchestra will assist. It will be the last concert of the series and will be the last opportunity for the people to belp the band by patronizing their entertainment.

Salos of Roal Estate. D. L. Bunn to W. H. Lake, lot in 10 16, 2 east, \$7,000. Thomas H. Flynn to George L. Moeller,

Margaret Manecke to Henry E. Dickey, quit claim to tracts of land in 36, 19, 8, and 31, 18, 4 east, \$1200.

H. W. Waggoner to M. E. Schroder sheriff's certificate of sale of south half of lot 18 and all of lots 14 and 15, in block 2, Higgins' addition, \$287.42.

James Russell and wife to Maze Sly, certificate of Master in Chancery Brown, to lot 13, block 1, White's addition, sold

Emily Staines et al to E. W. Heilman certificate of master to lot 5, block 8, R. I, Oglesby's addition, sold for \$118.55. John H. Thurston et al to Maze Liv-

ingston, certificate of master to lot 18, block 9, Smith & Co,'s addition, sold for

Chas. N. Dennison to Chas. W. Battlee, lot 4, block 3, Durfee & King's addition, on North Church corner of King street; \$2,500. John N. Fuller to H. W. Hill, 5 96-100

истен іп 12, 19, 8 епат; \$3,500. A Candidate.

George S. Simpson is announced for re-election as alderman in the Third re-election as alderman in the Third K. Bradley where it is to be hoped she Ward. He is a careful business man of firm convictions who has represented his Shaffer and daughter are also here. constituents and the people at large in the past in a very satisfactory manner. He makes a watchful and a public-spirited official, and will undoubtedly be returned by a handsome majority.

AT Mt. Zion the candidates who tied for clerk and assessor on Tuesday cast lots for the places, and both Republicans won. Alex. Armstrong in the draw defeated Daniel Pound for clerk; and J. S. Hughes waxed Doc Whitehouse for assessor. The other officers elected by the Republicans were J. J. Wallace for constable and Milo Thomas for justice. Will Be Closed.

Having decided to close the meat market known as the Central Park Market we take this opportunity to return our thanks to the public for the patronage bestowed while conducting business at the above place, and to request of those who are indebted to the market to the market to call and make immediate set-IMBODEN BROS.

THERE were nearly 200 friends at 'the Baptist sociable at the I. A. Buckingham residence last night. Refreshments were served, and an entertaining program was given by Miss Alice Judson, Miss McKenzie, Miss Bachman, Mrs. W. T. Roberts, Mrs. K. Harwood, Dr. Howard Wood, C. W. Montgomery, and others. The proceeds are about \$27.

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Jessie Greer's Fall

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh Gives Notes of Observation Miles Away.

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Theo. Ewing, son of S. S. Ewing, late of Kansas City, will probably take a permanent position in the office of the Union

Mr. and Mrs. Farnam and daughter, of Waltham, Mass., who have been the guests of Supt. Struttan several days, departed for home last night.

for the north this noon.

Mrs. Wid Baker, who has been sick for the past two months, is suffering a re-lapse since Sunday, at 825 West North

W. H. Kissel, proprietor of the Beach House at Tuscola; Mrs. R. B. Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cook, of Atwood, and I H. (1. Dill. of Bloomington, were

Miss Dr. Pierce will leave for Griggsville, Ill., to-morrow morning to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. James Pierce, who died of cancer to-day, aged 48 years. The Doctor will return to Deentur on Monday.

Illiopolis State Centre: Stack Todd came down from Decatur and engaged with Taylor Dickerson to train his fast horse. On Tuesday the horse became fractious, while being driven to a sulky, and kicked Todd on the knee, inflicting a sovere injury.

Mrs. Joseph D. Shaffer was brought to nars, cosepin D. Shanter was prought to be be be been described by the best of the beat of the luth, Minn. She is in a very weak state and had to be carried from the train. She is at the home of her sister, Mrs. W.

Prof. Harry C. Franck, A. M., the teacher of the Franck system of advanced musical elecution and voice building, is in the city to-day on his way to Dubuque and Davenport to organize and instruct classes. He comes from Cincinnati and has been at Columbas twice since he was in Decatur. The Professor is happy and enthusiastic as usual. Ho is gladly welomed by his many friends and admirers in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Park celebrated their golden wedding yesterday by a fam-ily reunion and dinner, at their home on West King street. The couple were married at Jacksonville on April 4, 1839, married at Jacksonville on April 4, 1839, by Rev. Todd. The children present yesterday to assist the venerable couple in the commemoration of the important anniversary were: Mrs. N. J. Carder, David T. Park, Mrs. C. O. Judeon, John H., Mary, James, Maggie, Samuel and Manse Park. The grandchildren were: Carrie Knapp, Josie Carder, Julia, Jessie, Nellie, Elmer. Clara. Fred and Annie Park. Elmer, Clara, Fred and Annie Park. Mrs. G. W. Skinner and Mrs. Gibson

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THE following was the program at the Shellabarger C. E. rocial: Vocal solo-"What's the Harm in a Kiss," Comme Shellabarger; recitation—"The Last Hymn," Miss Lillian Corman; instrumental solo-"Fresh Life," Miss Anna Heakle; vocal solo-"Your Story and Mine," Miss Jessie R. Steele. Refreshments were served and a nest aum was realized for the use of the society.

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in order to get away as

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ecidentally fell out of a third story window upon the cobble stone pavement in Merchant street alley last evening EDS. REPUBLICAN:—One can hardly conceive of a greater change than that experienced in passing from the United States to Mexico. The and singular to state she was not fatally injured, suffering no fractures. The

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he more we know or signal wonderous do they when more interesting and wonderous do they yours Truly, Club Moeting. Mrs. John M. Marie entertained the members of the 3d Section of the Woman's Club Thursday afternoon, there being ten lady guests. "Is Housekeeping a Failure" was the topic on which Mrs. Judge Vail and Mrs. Dr. Johns read carefully

prepared papers. In the spelling bee Mrs. W. T. Wells was the last to sit down. Sides were chosen by Mrs. Wells and Miss Sarah Murphy and Mrs. F. P. Roach pronounced the words. The meeting closed with a delicious supper.

Lecture on Mexico. Dr. Vosburgh will deliver a lecture on Mexico and The Mexicans," on Thurs day evening, April 11, at the Baptist church. Dr. Vosburgh has met many of the prominent men of the Republic and will deal largely with the people. |dtd

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RDS, REPUBLICAN .- Is there no succor fa he 5th district volers? The situation grows worse and worse. We have been velling in an old shed on a back alley for some time and now we have to go "way out in the country!" and climb a high board fence to get to our voting place. The present indications are that by the time of the next election we shall have to go out to Stevens' Creek and climb a 11-st and barb vire fence or a tall sycamore tree or some other

right man. Again we ask, is this deplorable state o affairs to remain or can we have at least a docen place to exercise the right of franchise!

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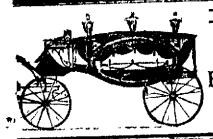
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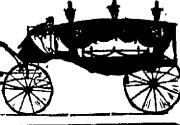
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By virtue of an order and do the of the County Court of Macon con it, the is made on the position of the underskind theory. No binger, administrator of the estate of Alvah Hutbell, decased, for lower to all the teal estate of said deceased, for lower to all the teal estate of said deceased, as the March tean A. D. 1889, of said Court, to-wit on the seventeenth day of March 1889. I shall on the seventeenth day of April. A. D. 1889, at the boson of teal or close in the foreneon of said day, sell as public saie, at the west outside chrance to the stairway fracting to the outside of rance in the city of Decayur, to said county, the real seates of serbed as follows to wit (commonting as the southeast current of the northeast quarter (4,) of the northeast (4,) of the place of beginning, also that lot, trust or paid of land lying directly west of and homeellately adjoining said pennises allowe decerbed on the West Mede, known and described as follows, tower lands of the country of the fourth solling Mill Addition to the city of Decayur, all is Macon county, tilinois, and the following terms, to wit cash in hand on day of sale, also the states of homestia and dover of Figa Ann Hubbell, decases of the cash and and dover of Figa Ann Hubbell, decases of the cash of the cash of Alvah Hubbell, decases of the cash of the cash of Alvah Hubbell, decases.

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Administrator's Notice. Administrator's Notice.

Fitate of William Birks, Deceased
the undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of William Birks, late
of the county of Macon and state of Illiunits, deceased, hereby gives notice that he
will appear before the County Court of Macon
county, at the court house in Decaure, at the
June term, on the first Monday in June next,
at which time all persons having claims against
add estate no notified and requested to astend for the purpose of having the same
adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate
are requested to make immediate payment to
the undersigned
Dated this Soth day of March, 1989.

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Administrator.

Administratrix' Notice. Estate of Joseph Miller, Deceased. Estate of Joseph Miller, Deceased.

Ihe undersigned having been appointed Administrative of the estate of Joseph Miller, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county at the court house in Decautr, at the May ferm, on the first Monday is May next, at thich line all persons having olaims against and estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Duted this 23d day of March, 1869.

CATERNINE F. MILLER, marzo day

Notice. To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is here by given that at the requisir meeting of the city essented, to be held on April 18th, 1898, the undersigned will make application for a loceine to sell (atoxicating liquors at Mo. 118 Fach Multi street, and building being comed by Joseph Mar. marthat are to.

THE INFLUENCE OF THINGS.

a Red Hat with a Dull Red Plume. There was once a lady, sober in mind and sedate in manner, whose plain dress exactly represented her desire to be inconspictions, to do good, to improve every day of her life in actions that should benefit her kind. She was a serious person, inclined to improving conversation, to the reading of bound books that cost at least a dollar and a half (fifteen cents of which she gladly contributed to the author), and she had a distaste for the gay society which was mainly a flutter of ribbons and talk and pretty faces; and when she meditated, as she did in her spare moments, her heart was sore over the frivolity of life and the emptiness of fashion. She longed to make the world better, and without any priggishness she set it an example of simplicity and sobriety, of cheerful acquiescence in plainness and inconspicuousness.

One day, it was in the autumn, this lady had occasion to buy a new hat From a great number offered to her she selected a rod one with a dull red plume. It did not agree with the rest of her apparel, it did not fit her apparent character. What impulse led to this selection the could not explain. She was not irred of bolog good, but something in the jauntness of the hat and the color pleased her. If it were a temptation she dld not intend to yield to it, but she thought she would take the hat home and try it. Perhaps her nature felt the noed of a little warmth. The hat pleased her still more when she got it home and put it on and surveyed herself in the mirror. Indeed, there was a new expression in her face that corresponded to the hat. She put it off and looked at it. There was something almost humanly winning and temptatious in it. In short she kept it, and when she were it abroad sho was not conscious of its incongruity to horself or to her dress, but of the incongruity of the rest of her apparel to the hat, which seemed to have a sort of intelligence of its own, at least a power of changing and conforming things to itself By degrees one article after another in the lady's wardrobe was laid

ande and another substituted for it answered to the demanding spirit of the In a little while this plain lady was not plain any more, but most gorgeously dressed and possessed with the desire to be in the height of the fashion. It came to this that she had a tea gown made out of a window ourtain with a flamboyant pattern Solomon in all his glory would have been ashamed of himself in her

But this was not all. Her disposition, her ideas, her whole life were changed. She did not any more think of going about doing good, but of amusing her-self. She road nothing but stories in paper covers. In place of being sedate and sober minded she was frivolous to excess, she spent most of her time with women who liked to "frivol." She kept Lent in the most expensive way, so as to make the impression upon everybody that she was botter than the extremest kind of Lent. From liking the sedatest company she passed to liking the gayest society and the most fashionable method of getting rid of her time. Nothing whatever had happened to her, and sh is now an ornament to society.—Charles Dudley Warner in Harper's.

Living in Paris.

Of living in Paris outside of a hotel l know but little, except that a gentleman who has spent a great deal of time here and seen a good deal of society said to no that in no city can one live so absolutely as he pleases as in Paris and still be respectable and inshionable. It was some time before New Yorkers took kindly to modern flats, with their possible improvement and convenience. High life of that kind was not to their taste. But here you find the best people living upon some narrow street, and you climb up flight and flight of winding stairs until the fourth and fifth and sometimes the sixth stage is reached, where you stop to breathe and wonder an could bave pitched his tent so high.

But once inside the tent your wonder

ceases, or rather takes unother channel, as you find yourself in the large, airy and handsomely furnished rooms where so many of our people live quite as com-fortable and with far less care than they can at home. "I would not go back to America again, with all the worries of housekeeping, for the world," I heard a lady say, while her companion, fresh from the worries of American housekeeping, was ready to take them again, and would not stuy here for all the world. And so opinions differ But of the two I think the Parislan housekeeper has the best of it, with better servants, smaller wages and so many troublesome things done outside-no washing or troning, for this is done by the lanchisseuse, and no breadmaking, for the bakers furnish all that, and of an excellent kind, too.—Cor, Springfield Republican

An Hour's Spooze.

During cold weather some of the paupers resort to some very odd tricks to get into some house where they can warm their chilled bodies by the generous heat from a fire or steam register. The other Sunday, when it was quite cold, a middle aged man of scraggy beard, unkempt hair, wearing worn out boots and seedy coat and ragged pantaloons, and presenting a most repulsive and dirty appearance, entered the door of St. John's Methodist church quietly. and took a seat near the roar part of the room When the congregation struck up a hymn the miserable tramp joined n the singing with apparently as good time as any of the choristers It was at first supposed that he had drifted in to hear the Gospel expounded-and may be he did-but after reclining his head on the seat during prayer, he fell asleep and sleep soundly during the entire sermon. He didn't hear any Gospel expounded, at least, and some people were cynical enough to say that he had entered the church for no other reason than to get a anug, warm corner, where he could sleep for an hour.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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ATE OF ILLINOIS, 38. MACON COUNTY, 188. In the Circuit County to the June Term, A. D. 1889.

MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1889.

Annie J. Gleason vs. John Gleason—In

Allidavit of the non-residence in this state of said John Gleason, the detendant in the above antitied cause, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the circuit court of said county, holice is hereby given to the valid John Gleason, that the above named complainant herectory filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancely while theided, which said to still ponding and that a summons thereupon issued only said court against the above named detendant, returnable on the first day of the next June to im or said court, at to be hold at the court house, in the city of Decaure, in said county, on the first Monday in the nounth of June, A. D. 1889.

Now, unless you, the said John Gleason, shall be and appear on the first day of said cent, and plead, answer or deman to the said court, and plead, answer or deman to the said court, and plead, answer or deman to the prayer thereof Dated Decaute, In., March 9th, 1889.

B. I. EFERRERY, Sul for Complainant, but M. C. 1881.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the introperment of East Indonate street, from the west rail of the tracks of the Illinois Central Railroad west to the west the of the light of way of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, by curbing grading, graveling, gratering and particular phase and specification of an ordinance relating and passed by the Oity Council on the 18th day of March, A D 1889 will be let to the lower responsible bidder, and that senied bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decastor, Illinois, from the date hereof until 4 o'elock p in of Saturday, the 20th day of April, A D 1889 for the labor and for the entire infrovement, including labor and naterials for said improvement, and for the entire infrovement, including labor and naterials A sample of brick to be used must be filed with total. All bids when teceived will be submitted to the Oity Council for its action.

The Characters Character of the City Clerk Clerk Characters.

Sheriff's Sale.

projerty, to with the sources (14) and fitteen (15), in block No two (2), in Higgins' addition to becaute, in the county of histon and state of Himols, taken as property of the said Henry W. Waggoner, which I shall offer a public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, out the 3d day of April, A. D. 1889, at the hour of two o'clock D in, of said day, for each in hand, to satisfy said executions.

o satisfy said execution.
This idth day of March, A D 1886.
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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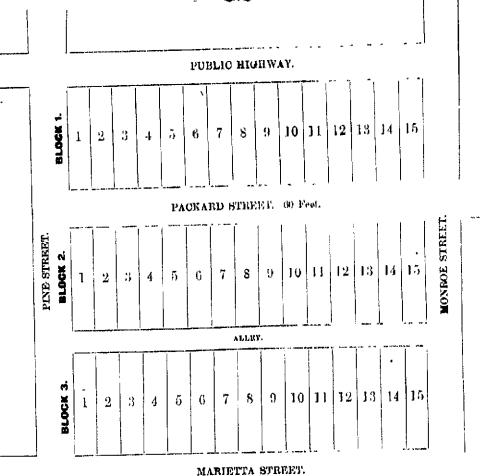
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FRIDAY EVE., APRIL 5, 1889.

CARTER HARRISON is said to be the werst disappointed man in Onicago. Tax troubles of Mayor Oregier may

now be said to have fairly begun. EDWIN BOOTH, at last accounts, was improving, and he friends expect him to resume the stage in a week or ten

Brainorizan turned a political somersault at the city election on Tuesday. The Democrats elected everything there was in sight save one lone alderman. He

EDWIN BOOTH, according to Mr. J. H. McVicker, of Chicago, has been an inveterate smoker, using only the very strongest cigars. What an argument for the cigarette smokers!

Since the senate declined to "advise and consent to" the nomination of Murat Halstead as minister to Germany, the appicants for the place are not abundant. One thing may be regarded as cortain no editor need apply. Room Q. Mills, of Texas, is again

loose in the country Hamalen speech at Springhouf, Ohio, a few nights ago, on the occasion of a banquat given by the Jefferson Club, and took for his text "the robber tariff." Will Mills never get done playing on that mournful string? The popular impression of life insur-

ance, and a by no means inscourate one, is that it is a provision against want for the poor or those in moderate circumstances. But rich mon are also among its stannehest advocates and adherents. Mr. Alis, the Milwaukoo millionaire, who died last Monday, carried life insurance to the amount of nearly \$500,000.

Brander's letter does not enery the story of his movements to a much later date than the intelligence from him did which was received two or three months ago through Tippuo Tib. It throws light, however, on several matters connected with his wanderings which up to this time have been enveloped in darkness. On this account it is interesting. It also strengthens the popular idea that Stanley is sure to "turn up" all right in

The spirit of Democracy is about the same in all the states and territories. There is Gov. Ross, of New Mexico. whose encressor has been appointed but who has not yet arrived on the ground. Ross is making appointments to the territorial offices, some of which have just been created, and he manages to find Democrats to fill all of them, so that the new governor will find himself greatly embarrassed when he takes possession of the gubernatorial chair. But Democrats nover lose an opportunity to get one of their kind into office, no matter if they have to strotch the law a little in order

Mas. Hausison is recovering from her illness, but was not strong enough to accompany her daughter and a party of friends on their Plorida trip the other day. We are selemly assured that Mrs. Harrison's dilness is attributable to the unbedlibful condition of the White appear to be almost ready to break their necks to get another four years' lease on the unbealthy old place?

Tun old warning, that it is never safe to count your chickens before they are hatched, is respectfully called to the attention of those Democrats who are already running Joe Hewes for sheriff of Mucon county. This thing of starting a man out for office a couple of years in advance of the election seldom pans out satisfactorily. Besides, there is to be another township election before the sherifalty is to be disposed of, and such a thing might happen as Mr. Howes getting himself sat down upon before that time. It is a good down the claiming over the same of the sattempting of the sattempting over the sattempting time. It is a good down that the claiming over the sattempted. Shoriff over the sattempted of the sattempted that Illinois will go Demouratic at the next state election, because the city of Chicago went that way at the late city

SERATOR ALLISON, in time of the mingazines, argues in favor of an extra + sesion of Congress, but says it ought to begin in the fall and not in the spring moraths. The antique, in his opinion, will be small, and the embarrasement in consequence is not likely to be great. Still he is considered that Congress should be brone it together earlier than December, when the regular session begins. On this quarter, but, as they were only armed with the regular session begins. the regular session begins. On this q : 4-ion the Iowan speaks with author tv. Many persons who have given rome thought to the matter will doubt the wisdom of calling the session for so late s date so October, the month which he suggests, but most of them are convinced that there should be a called session some time within the next five or six months.

The Rhode Island Election. PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 5 .- The Legislature stands, on joint batlet, 45 Repub-licans and 47 Democrats, with sixteen members to be effected. There will be a memoers to be effected. There will be a lard fight over these sixteen, and each party hapes to secure the necessary majority in the Legislature to elect its State ticket. The Republicans will have to ticket. The Republicans will have to election or the Democrate eight in order

Robert Carrett at Home Agais. BALTIMORE, Md., April 5.—Robert Gar-rett returned to his country home near this city yesterday afternoon. A reporter who visited bim last evening states that Mr. Garrett looks very pale, and does not weigh over 175 pounds—fifty pounds lighter than he was two years ago. Mr. Carrett stated that he felt quite well, but did not want to see anybody on business

Bay. Edward Beacher's Leg Amputated, BROOKLYN, April 5.—Rev. Ed K. Beecher, who fell under a train and had his leg crushed Wednesday night, is still at the Beneca Hospital. The injured log was amputated yestorday morning. Dr. Beacher is in good spirits, and, owing to his fine constitution, may recover, though to most men of sighty-five years the shock has undergone would prove fatal. Bay, Edward Beather's Leg Amputated,

A Poor Showing.

New York, April 5.—The report of the Chicago, St. Paul & Minespolar railroad for the year ending December 1, 1885, for the year ending December 1, 1885, deshows gross earnings, 36,411,138; deshows gross earnings, 36,411,138; deshows gross earnings, 36,411,138; deshows gross earnings, 31,701,202, increase, 306,744; exponses, 34,646,477; increase, 316,544. Net earnings, 31,701,202, increase, 316,548. Net earnings, 31,701,202, increase, 31,654. Net earnings, 31,701,202, increase, 31,654,202, increase, 31

EDWIN BOOTH.

The Condition of the Great Actor Pronounced More Favorable by His Physicians.

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Mr. Booth Goes to His Home in New York, While the Company Appear at Buffelo.

ROCKESTER, N. Y., April 4.—Mr. Booth arose at eight o'clock this morning. Dr. Summer called on him and found his conlition much improved. The actor is now able to speak quite plainly. He took breakfast in his room. Dr. Sumner ad-vised him to take a rest for a week or ten days. The doctor left about pine

A Post-Express reporter called on the "What is Mr. Booth's condition this morning?" the doctor said: "Mr. Booth is feeling a great deal better to-day."
"Did you consider his condition last

mable to speak, and of course I told him he could not go on with his park. It was thought at first that the attack would pass away in a few minutes, but I felt sure it was impossible for him to resume his part. His condition was indeed piti-ful. As he lay there in his dressing-

his hotel."
"Do you think Mr. Booth's strength as an actor is injured by this attack?"
"That I can not say. I think with a rest of a week or ion days he will be ab's to keep his engagements. Last night's attack, however, is a premonition of what is bound to come. I think that within a few yours Mr. Booth will suffer a final attack which may rob America of its greates and was generally observed. The banks, ex-changes and business houses were closed, and

Mr. Booth's manager, Arthur B. Chase said: "The reports of Mr. Booth's Illnes have been much exuggerated. He is now looking well, and speaks as plainly as

stroke?" "I have no doubt that the immediat "Thave no doubt that the immediate cause of the attack was excessive eight smoking. Mr. Booth smokes about twenty strong imported cigars a day, and frequently uses a pipe. I told Mr. Booth this morning I thought this was the cause. He smiled and said: 'I couldn't give up my cigar.' I think he will smoke less there.'

eay that he will keep his ongagement in that city week after next. Mr. Barrett has determined to keep the Booth-Barrolt engagements. Lawrence Hanley will probably take Mr. Booth's part. The company will play in Buffalo to-night and the remainder of the week and will thence

a. m., by the New York Central. Law-ronce Harrett and the company went to Buffalo at 11:30. Mr. Booth walked from the carriage to the train without assistance, and carried a light sachel slung over his shoulder, while a wooden toothpick of plain, unvaraished type, rested between his lips. He did not look like a

Spirits, but Wenk.

way regain his strength and be able to resume his engagements.

The Settlers on the Des Moines Rive Lands Drive Off the Officials Bent to Evict Them.

evictions from the best with armed resistance and were driven from the field. A mob of settlers, fully equipped with Winchester rilles, assembled at the homes of the settlers, the winder and default the officials. tions to be evicted and defled the officials, and the latter discreetly retired without Adams and a posse are in the county to make arrests for conspiracy.

Another Account.

Dus Moines, Ia., April 5.—A United States marshal and posse were fired on yesterday from a dense thicket of hazel-brush while in the act of evicting a farm-er named Blake from the Litobfield lands, better known as the Des Moines River lands, sixteen miles from Webster City. revolvers, they did not attempt to serve them, and retreated in good order.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 5. — Fred Douglass was yesterday the guest of the colored people. A procession numbering five hundred, including military companies, eccepted him from the railroad their progress since emancipation. To-day he lectures at the Exposition. The city is full of colored people from all parts of the South. Mr. Douglass re-

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

me correst mission.

—Mears, Aiger, Foraker and Hisine have recently bought vast coal fields in Tennessees.

—The Marquis of Ely died Wadnesday night
white traveling in Italy. He was born in 1848.

—A gain from the northwart unconfact fortw -A gale from the northwest unrooted forty houses, besides doing other damage, in Baltimore, Wednesday evening.

—The condition of Dr. McCosh, of Princetos
(N. J.) College, has greatly improved, and he is
able to sit up in an casy chair.

—Bismarck is said to be deeply interested in
the measures to be taken by the United States nore. Wednesday evening.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Hydographic Office and the Meteorology of the Pacifle Ocean.

Probable Verdict in the Lydecker Case-Hot for Oklahoma-A Badly Frightened Crowd.

Got the "Grand Bounce"-The President Going Plahing-Robert Lincoln's Nomination.

The Meteorology of the Pacific Ocean WASHINGTON, April 5 .- The following circular was issued yesterday from the hydrographic office of the Navy Depart-

Des Moines River lands, in Iowa, have returned and planted crops. Warrants for their
arrest have been issued.

—Mrs. Turner Sargent, daugster of Dr. Oliver
Wenntell Holmes, who had been ill for hearly
two months, died Wednesday evening at her
father's home in Boston.

—The complete vote of the State of Hhode
Island gives Ladd, for Governor, 16,652; Davis,
21,850; Riehardson, 1,511; Chace, 8,433. Davis,
18,1850; Riehardson, 1,511; Chace, 8,435. Davis,
18,1850; Riehardson, offices, or to any University Collects in charge of branch hydrographic offices will give this circular as wide publicity as possible, and make every effort to collect data. Very respectfully, (Signed)

G. L. Dyras, Hydrographer.

The Lydeoker Court-Martial—The Probable Verdict.

Washington, April 5.—Major Davis, the Judge-Advocate of the Lydeoker court-martial, is hard at work upon the record of the proceedings. He expects to be able to report the findings of the court to Escretary Proctor this evening. They will then he sent to the Judge-Advocatewill then be sent to the Judge-Advocate General's office for examination and report, and upon his commondations the Secretary may form his conclusions and decide whether or not the findings of the court shall be approved. The trend opinion at the War Department is that the court has found Major Lydecker guilty of neglect of duty, but that the sentence does not amount to a dismissal A reprimand is the least that could be given, and it is thought the sentence will lie between the two, something like a suspension from rank and duty.

Hol for Onluhoms. Washington, April 5.—A movement was put on foot recently to start a township in the Oklahoma country to be peopled with Washingtonians. Assurance and the country to be peopled with Washingtonians. Assurance and the country to be peopled with Washingtonians. now had that one hundred ex-Union so diers will join the movement, and appli cutions have come in so rapidly from De partment clerks that it has been four necessary to limit the membership in the The advance guard will start or the 20th, on a special train to be made up by the Baltimore & Ohio railread, and filled with delogations, from Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and other

oities. A Radiv-Frightened Crowd. Washington, April 6.—Everett Hubbard, a member of the Governor's guard, of Annapolis, was arrested on inauguration day, charged with shooting Champ Evans, colored. He was locked up in jail for ten days before ball was accepted.
When the case came to trial vesterday. When the case came to trial yesterday Evans and six colored men who witnessed the shooting testified that they were too frightened to identify Evans' assallant. The judge said it was the most remark. able spectacle he had ever seen, and he diamissed the prisoner.

Robert Lincoln's Nomination. WARHINGTON, April 5 .- Robert T. Lin coln, Minister to England, said in an interview yesterday morning that he would start for his post in about six weeks. Speaking of the suddenness of his apcointment, Mr. Lincoln said that the first The Atlanta Constitution prints a history of the Southern Pine-Straw combine which, it is understood, intends lighting the Jute Trust intimation he had that his name was under consideration was whon he received telephone message from a Chicago newspaper office, asking him if he would accept the position. At that time the nomination had been sent to the Senate.

The "Grand Bounce" in the Govern ment Printing Office. House. That may all be true, but Grover
Gleveland stuck to it pretty closely for
Gleveland stuck to it pretty closely for
four years, and seemed to prov fat on it.
If the White House is no notoriously unhealthy, why do so many smart people
seem willing to risk their lives in it? And
why do pretty much all the occupants
appear to be almost londy to break their from time to time, until the number of employes corresponds with the amount

President Harrison Going Fishing. Washington, April 5.—The President is making arrangements to go on a fishing trip. Before the adjournment of the Sonate, he told several of his friends that he thought of going away for a short trip in the early part of April. It is probable he will go down the Chesapeake, Satur-day, with Secretary Windom, on a revenue outter, to be gone two or three days. The details of the arrangements have not

A Guest of Mrs. Harrison.
Washington, April 5.—Miss Ida Murphy, daughter of a prominent physician of St. Paul, arrived here yesterday afternoon, as the guest of Mrs. Harrison, at the White House.

His Pather's Private Secretary. Washington, April 5.—Cooker F. Clarkson, of Iowa, has been appointed private secretary to his father.

SELF-DEFENSE.

Fatal Termination of a Quarrel About a Boundary Line. NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 5 .- A special NABHYLLE, Tonn., April 6.—A special to the American from Covington, Tenn., says that D. S. Billings, a popular young school teacher, instantly killed A. J. Arbro, ex-tax collector of the county, by shooting, at Burleson, Wednesday. The trouble arose over the building of a fonce between their property. Billings immediately surrendered, was tried and acquitted on the plea of self-defense.

A General Strike Probable. PHTSBURGH, Pa., April 5.—The railroad coal miners of Western Pennsylvania met in convention in this city yesterday. The question under consideration was convention took a firm stand against any reduction in wages, and adopted a uni-form rate of 70% cents per ton. The indications are that the operators will not accept this rate, and that there will be a reneral strike before the question has been settled.

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FOREIGN NEWS.

The Growing American Navy Looked upon with Concern by European Powers.

The Enston Square Hotel Snielde-The Geffcken Incident-The Pope's Encyclical.

Boulanger Warned by the Belgian Government Death of General Negus Confirmed.

THE GROWING AMERICAN NAVY.

LONDON, April 5.—There have been resently many indications of British interest in the growing strength and import-ance of the United States navy. Articles published in American papers regarding the navy have been reprinted in English journals, and in various ways it is evident that the English experts are keeping themselves posted in a very accurate manner as to the new vessels and im-proved methods of the American navy. The St. James Gazette of yesterday has long and exhaustive editorial on the subject. Among other things the Gazette says: "The American naval activity

of business, it must be the duty primarily of the diplomatists to consider, but it behooves us to watch carefully the growth The Gazette reminds the Government of the English opinion that the British navy should be equal to the combined navies of any two powers, and suggests possible combinations with other naval fleets for the American navy.

THE EUSTON SQUARE HOTEL SUICIDE. London, April 5.—The only effects found t the Euston Squere Hotel belonging to Rev. Sidney Hurd, the Boston clergy-man, who committed suicide last Sunday were a neat black portmanteau, a pen-knife and a bunch of keys. There is no doubt that the poor man was greatly reduced and unfortunate. He had com-plained of being wakeful and nervous and took six drahms of opium, which CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES.

London, April 4 .- In the House of Lords lowbox, April 1. Instruction in the members elected Earl Mor-ley chairman of committees by a vote of 95 to 77, rejecting Lord Balfour of Burleigh, who was Lord Salisbury's candidate for the office.

MURDERED IN THE NAME OF LIBERTY. Dunlin, April 5 .- A bailiff who had

charge of a farm from which the tenants had been evicted at Coleraine, County Londonderry, was shot dead yesterday by unknown parties. SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

Dublin, April 5.—The sentence of Dennis Kilbride, M. P. for South Kerry, to three months' imprisonment for offensed under the Crimes act, was confirmed yesterday on appeal. Germany.

THE GEFFCKEN INCIDENT, ETC. BERLIN, April 5.—The Socialists of Munich have nominated Herren, Birok Vollmar as candidates for election for the Roichstag.

Research William has appointed Herr Schmidt, of the firm of Anholt & Wagner, of Berlin, as his private banker, the ne-gotiations with Banker Cohn having

gotiations with Hanker Com having fallen through.

The North Herman Gazette, in commonting upon the failure of the prosecution by the government of Prof. Geffcken, for publishing extracts of the late Emperor Frederick's diary, says that if it had been known that Prof. Geffcken alone was implicated in the affair, the government would never have prosecuted him.

Two thousand bricklayers of Berlin have struck work on account of low have struck work on account of low

wages. Two students of Mannheim University have been sentenced to four mouths' imprisonment in a fortress for fighting a duel with a Lieutenant of the Mayence garrison. ORDERED TO SAMOA.

Kiel, April 6.—The German cruiser Habicht, now at the Cape of Good Hope, and the gun-boat Wolf, have been ordered o Bamoa to replace the German vessel FINED FOR FAILING TO REPORT.

METZ, April 5,—One hundred and forty Aleatians were fined 600 marks each for failing to report themselves for service a the German army. Italy.

THE POPE TO ISSUE AN ENCYCLICAL. ROME, April 5.—The Pope will soon put orth a long encyclical letter, devoted shiefly to the question of state socialism His Holiness has been at work for some his holiness has been at work for some time on this important document, and has been in frequent consultation with emi-nent Catholic statesmen and leading economists of the world.

DECIDED TO PROSECUTE. PARIS, April 5.—In the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, it was agreed to immediately assemble the bureaux in order to elect a committee on the prosecution of General Boulunger. The deputies baying

agreed upon the urgency of the debate regarding Boulanger's prosecution, the discussion thereon proceeded. M. Faul de Cassagna said that the charges against General Boulanger were absurd and false. The real arbiter between Boulanger and the government was universal suffrage. Premier Tirard declared that it was the

duty of the Chamber to prosecute a man who was seeking to overthrow the Repub-lic. "The country must be safe," said he, "against a civil war."
The resolution to presecute General
Boulanger was carried by a vote of 855 to

WILL GO TO LONDON. BRUSELS, April 5.—General Boulanges informed a reporter yesterday that it ejected from Belgium he would go to Lon-

BRUSSRLS, April 5.-A demonstration in opposition to General Boulanger on the part of the students was broken up by the police yesterday. MM. Naquett, Milvoye and Fauconnerie have arrived and joined the General.

Australia THE CALLIOPE SAFE IN PORT. SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 5.—The British man-of-war Calliope, which ran out of the hurricane at Samoa, and for whose

safety fears have since been expressed, safety fears have since been expressed, has arrived eafely at this port. It transpired that before the hurricane come on every precaution had been taken on board the Calliope, five anchors had been dropped and everything made ready for a big blow. In the height of the storm the chains of four anchors anapped and the vassel commenced to drift. Captain Kane then determined to leave the harbor, where the danger of being thrown on bor, where the danger of being thrown on the ree's was imminent, and reach, if possible, the open soa. This he eventually accomplished after a hard fight, during which the vessel made only a half a knot an hour. The seas that broke over the ship were tremendous and did much damage. No lives were lost however. age. No lives were lost, however. Thousands of people are flocking to the vessel, and praise the pluck of Captain Kane in bringing his ship through in

> Abyssinis. DEATH OF GREERAL NEGUS. ROMS, April 5.—The news of the death f General Negus at Massowah is con-

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Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.: WHEAT-9114 April; 9214 May; 90 une; 8634 July. Cons-35)5 April; 3524 May; 36 June;

614 July. Oars-24% April; 25% May; 25% June; 25¼ July. | Рокк- \$12.80 Арг; \$12.40 Мау; \$12.45 LARI - \$6.02 April; \$7.00 May; \$7.02

15,000; market steady. Onttle, 8,000; market steady. Our Lots—Wheat: Winter, 16; Spring 3; Corn, 175; Oats, 82

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rui. As he lay there in his dressing-room looking appealingly at Mr. Barreti and rayself, unable to speak a word, my heart felt for him keenly. We did all we could to aid the suffering tragodian and as soon as possible had him removed to his hotel."

"What do you think caused last night?

tenra in the future." In reply to an inquiry from the Detroit Journal he instructed Manager Chase to

the remainder of the week and will thende go to Cloveland. Lawrence Barrett ex-pressed his grief at the unfortunate con-dition of things.

Edwin Booth left for New York at 10:30

Edwin Booth in New York-In Good New York. April 5.—Edwin Hooth arrived from Rochestor at 7:30 p. m. yesterday, and was mot by his physician, Dr.

SUCCESSIULTY RESISTED.

FORT DODOR, In., April 5.—United States marshals who attempted to make evictions from the Des Moines river lands

Fred Douglass at the Colored Exposistation to the Exposition grounds, where he delivered a short address, congratu-inting the colored people of Florida upon

mains here two days longer.

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...The Navy Department is considering the expediency of attempting the reporter of the fine modern rided guns carried down with the -Emperor William has dishonored his fo

o replace the vessels lost at Samon.

ther's memory by restoring to favor Dr. Von Puttkamer, dismissed in disgrace by Emperor - A number of the victims evicted from the Des Moines River lands, in Iows, have returned and planted srops. Warrants for their arrest have been issued. Frederick

- Two Omaha delegations are in Washington and had interviews with Secretary Windom yesterday about the location of the new postome building in Omaha. There will be a livey war over the question.

—Mrs Catharine Donohoe, aged thirty, was found dead at her home in South Eeston Wednesday night under suspicious circumstances. Her hasband has been arrested, charged with her taking off. ly war over the question. -Major Davis, the Judge-Advocate of the Ly

—Major Davis, the Judgo-Advesses of the Lydecker court-martial, is hard at work upon the
record of the proceedings. He expects to be
able to report the findings of the court to Secrelayy Proctor this ovening.

—Fire destroyed the building and contents of
the Standard Iron-works at West Superior,
Wis., Wednesday night. Loss, #45,000; no insurance. Strothman Bros., the owners, say
they will rebuild on a larger scale.

—Superintendent Brower of the Rochester -Superintendent Brower of the Rochest (N. Y.) street-use company reported twenty-five ears running yesterday moraing on our routes. The usual number is 123. No trouble was reported and no more arrests had been -Yesterday was Fast Day in Massachusetts,

mone.

—George Ward, assistant postmaster at Elmirs, N Y., is missing, and so are the contents
of the office sate, supposed to amount to \$1,000.
Ward left on a night train and is thought to
be in Canada. He leaves a wife and six chilaron.

—The French ministry has asked the Chamber of Deputies to sanction the presecution of Boulanger, and has submitted a statement reviewing the General's career since the quamune, and charging him with attempting to de-

stroy the republic.

erroy the republic.

-The coroner's jury in the case of the New York City saloon-keeper, John J. Ressior, who was killud on the night of March? by falling thown a light of stairs, yesterday rendered a vortict that death was due to an accidental fall, and exponented his wife. —Arabs arriving at Stanley Falls report that Stanley and Emin Pasha were seen in February of this year marching in company toward Zanzibar Their ferce consisted of several thousand men, women and children, and they parried with them 6,000 tusks of tvory

married with them 5,00 tusts of vortices were formulated with the Wabsab Ratiway Company for sums aggregating \$30,000,000 in favor of James R. Jessup and other trustees for the bencholders of the various branches of the Wabsab system, has been entered in the United States Court at Indianapolis There are some fine positions yet to be given out in the Department of Justice, among thom a number of assistant and apenial attorneyables, to represent the United States in suits in the Supreme Court and in the toon vary from \$2,500 to \$6,500 a year.

is understood, intends lighting the Jute Trust in the bagging business. The pine combination has built a large new mill at Conly, S. C., which will turn out 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 yards by bugging a your.

About a month ago Jumes Viccara, a Mineupoliabbook-keeper, disappeared inexpiteably on the day he was to wed litatic Ray. He now lurns up at Grass Lake, Mich., and says it was a proposed to be supported.

frebugs, and an extra police torce with shot-guns patrol the city at night. The first man night in the not of setting fire to property will -William S. Bryant, of the St. Louis High

School, has learned something about sulphuric acid. He drew into his mouth through a syphon a large quantity of the soid, and was so oversome with pain that he fell to the floor. A hady toacher fainted and the pupils were greatly excited. By the application of antidotes he was relieved of the poin. was relieved of the poin.

—Win. Anterson, of St. Louis, convicted of
the murder of his wife at the March term of
court, and sentenced on March 2 to be hanged;
was to have paid the penalty of his erime today, but the case was appealed to the Supreme
Court, and a stay of execution has been granted
out May 1.

—Prof. Ernest, a music teacher who recently eloped with the wife of a Winnipes, grocer, returned to that city Wednesday night. A squad of about thirty men dragged him from his house and gave him a coat of sirup, axis grease and feathers. He was then allowed to go after promising to leave the city and never re-

-E. C. Green and M. L. Ely, brakemen o —E. C. Green and at E. Erly Organism of the Decate division of the Louisville & Nashville ratiway, were killed yesterday in a collision at Brown's gross-road, near Nashville. Albert Finen, fireman, was severoly injured. A misunderstanding of orders caused the accident. The two engines and sixteen cars were devokilled.

demolished.

—Articles for a glove contest between Joe McAuliffe, ex-champion heavy-weight of the Pacific coast, and Thomas Lees, of Australia, were signed Wednesday night. The contest is to take pince in the latter part of May at the Golden Clate Athletic Club rooms. The winner will be awarded a purse of \$1750 subscribed by the members of the glub. the members of the club. the members of the club.

—In the Dauphin County (Pa) Court yester day the Bultimore & Ohio Telegraph Company ited as answer to the claims of the Attorney. General of Pennsylvania in the case brought to prevent a consolidation with the Western Union. They deny that the latter company has acquired the whote or may part of the capital stock, nor do they hold the telegraph line in the State of Pennsylvania.

Requisition Granted. HALIFAX, N. S., April 6.—Judge Ritchie has granted extradition in the case of Hardie, the New York forger, and the prisoner has been remanded to await the arrival of the necessary papers at Ottawa. Hardie's counsel will probably appeal to the Supreme Court:

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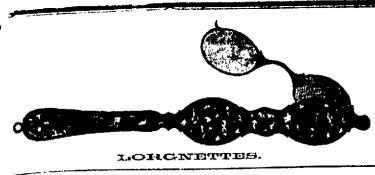
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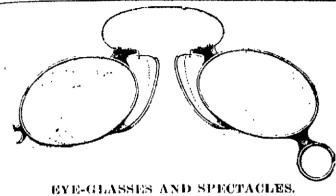
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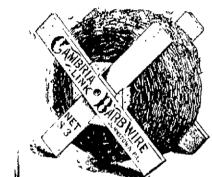
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ELEGANT toilet scape at Irwin's phar

"LA Tosca" Sun Umbrellas, in beau tiful variety, at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's. THE rails for the Decatur Electric street car line are not yet in sight.

Coming-the Gorman Spectacular Minstrels---the 18th.

ONE large family on Prairie Avenue wreatling with the measles. SILVER and gold Side Combs at Otto E. Cortie & Bro.'s.

THE funeral of Harry Abbott took blace this afternoon. He died of measles. HEAR the Nourse lecture to-night. John and Jonathan" is the subject. G. A. R. CELEBRATION Saturday even-

ing at the Post Hall. You are invited to be present. The front of the new Grand Opera

House will be a marked piece of architectural beauty on South Water street. RED paint and all other colors and

shades in mixed punt; also brushes to put it on, in fact everything in the paint line, at King & Wood's drug store. 2-dlw A rung line of family groceries can be and at Niedermeyer's Mound store.

Last night the Ohristian Endeavor Society of Stapp's Chapel were enter-tained at the D. S. Shellabarger resi-

Catt for the White Foam brand when von want good.

THE ARBYTE five cent eight is sold at Aparticus of Goodman's Band should

emember the grand concert to be given by the organization at the opera house Tuesday night. The orchestra will as-SILVER "Gauntilines" and Giove and

Shoe Buttoners at Otto E. Curtis & Tun ladies are again urged to oall at

O. B. Prescott's music parlor and examine those superior Haines and Everett pianos. New styles of organs lately re-

Miss A. Minnes and sister are in Chiage buying Millinery and looking up B. STINE has taken possession of the

ocent addition to his store. He now has simple room to make a proper display of his large stock of clothing. THE grocery stock of Johnson & Spence

150 Merchant street, will be sold at cost for cash by Lehman & Bolen. Store flutures also for sale. Buy now and save Do your trading at Moore Bros.' gro-

cory store on North Water street. All

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n opera block. Buy the family favorite-White Loaf and Daily Bread flour.

Strykk Rairpins, Bookmarks, Stamp Boxes, Bon-Bon Boxes, Letter Openers and Scap Boxes, at Otto E. Curtis &

FRANCES R. CLEGO, rooms 3 and 4 Powers Block, has returned from Chi-

oago and is prepared to do spring dress-making. 27-d6 TRERE will be a meeting for Bible study to-night at the First M. E. church, commencing at 7:30, conducted by Rev James Miller. Subject, "The Triumphal

Entry," Lesson, Mark 11:1-2. Every Chorne California fruits and vegetables every day at Hanks & Patterson's gro-

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The Last.

ROBERT NOURSE closes the lecture course Friday night, April 5th. He will deliver his great lecture, "John and Jonarhan." He is one of the keenest, williest and most cloquent of platform corators. Heir the balented orator. Tickets 25 and 35 cents.

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TOOK HIS OWN LIFE. Causeless Suicide of Grant Mantle

on Central Ayenue. Grant Mantle, a young man of 25 years, ook his own life early this morning at the residence of Rev. L. Field at No. 303 Central Avenue, formerly Durfee street. The body was found in the cellar of the dwelling, and near the right hand was found a blood-stained ruzor, with which the suicide had cut his throat, nearly severing the head from the body. The deed was evidently committed while standing, as the body lay face downward on the brick iloor, the nose flattened by the full. The blood had spurted in every direction and stained the wall and floor Coroner Bendure was summoned to take charge of the body. It was borne to an upper room where it was washed and properly dressed for the inquest which was held this afternoon, a verdict of suicide being returned, cause unknown The deceased was a tinner by occupa tion and had been in the employ of J. G Borgen & Son since last September. He ame here from Arrowsmith in McLean county, where his purents reside, and where he became acquainted with his wife, who was a music teacher there Last Thanksgiving day he married Miss Pauline Rutledge, daughter of Dr. Rutledge, a dentist at Hillsboro, Ill. The

couple made their home with Rev. Field, Mrs. Mantle taking charge of the house hold. A short time ago Mrs. Mantle desired to go to Hillsboro and Shelbyville on a visit, Rev. Field and Mr. Mantel kept house alone, the elder doing the cooking. Mr. Mantle put in a ful day's work yesterday and was in good spirits last night, having received an affectionate letter from his wife who wrote that she would soon return home. In the letter the wife wrote that her re turn was delayed because her father had been giving her teeth necossary at-

This morning Elder-Field heard Mantle moving about down stairs, and he arose to harry down and prepare breakfast. When the Elder reached the kitchen he found that Mantle had made the fire in the stove and put on the kettle. Breakfast was propared, but Muntle did not appear. Failing to find him anywhere in the yard or in the upper rooms, the Elder went into the cellar, where

Mantle was found dead in the situation lescribed above. The Elder and Mr. Sorgen are both greatly shocked over the distressing end of Mantle whom they regarded as happy man, with no known trouble, financial or social, to cause him to take his life. He was an excellent workman,

with the tinner's trade. News of the suicide has been telegraphed to the parents of the deceased to his wife, and to Dr. Rutledge at

capable of doing well any work connected

THERE is to be a recount of the votes east for Collector in Bloomington. The count gave Spain, Republican, a majority of 22 over Chrisman, Democrat. Mr. C. will begin proceedings on the 21st for a

The Altar Society of St. John's ohurch will give a sale of bread, oakes, etc., at the residence of Hon. T. H. Macoughtry at St. John's Place Saturday nfternoon, April Cth.

THE program has been made up for the Goodman Band concert to be given Fuesday night. The Opera House Orchestra will assist. It will be the last present of the series and will be the last opportunity for the people to help the and by patronizing their entertainment.

Salos of Roal Estate. D. L. Bunn to W. H. Lake, lot in 10 16, 2 east, \$7,000.

Thomas H. Flynn to George L. Moeller 160 acres in 3, 17, 3 east, \$5943.58. Margaret Manecke to Henry E. Dickey, quit claim to tracts of land in 86, 19, 8,

and 31, 18, 4 east, \$1200. H. W. Waggoner to M. E. Schroder sheriff's certificate of sale of south half of lot 18 and all of lots 14 and 15, in block

 Higgins' addition, \$287.42. James Russell and wife to Maze Sly, certificate of Master in Chancery Brown, to lot 13, block 1, White's addition, sold

Emily Staines et al to E. W. Heilman certificate of master to lot 5, block 8, R. J. Oglesby's addition, sold for \$118.55.

John H. Thurston et al to Maze Lavingston, certificate of master to lot 18, block 9, Smith & Co,'s addition, sold for

Chas. N. Dennison to Chas. W. Battles, lot 4, block 3, Durfee & King's addition, on North Church corner of King street;

John N. Fuller to H. W. Hill, 5 96-100 астен ід 12, 19, 3 савт; \$3,500.

A Candidate. George S. Simpson is announced for

re-election as alderman in the Third Ward. He is a careful business man of firm convictions who has represented his constituents and the people at large in the past in a very satisfactory manner. He makes a watchful and a public-spirited official, and will undoubtedly be returned by a handsome majority. Ar Mt. Zion the candidates who tied

for clerk and assessor on Tuesday cast lots for the places, and both Republicans won. Alex. Armstrong in the draw defeated Daniel Pound for clerk; and J. S. Hughes waxed Doc Whitehouse for assessor. The other officers elected by the Republicans were J. J. Wallace for constable and Mile Thomas for justice.

Will Be Closed. Having decided to close the meat mar-ket known as the Central Park Market we take this opportunity to return our thanks to the public for the patronage pestowed while conducting business a the above place, and to request of those who are indebted to the market to the market to call and make immediate set-

THERE were nearly 200 friends at 'the Baptist sociable at the I. A. Buckingham residence last night. Refreshments were served, and an entertaining program was given by Miss Alice Judson, Miss McKenzie, Mies Bachman, Mrs. W. T. Roberts, Mrs. K. Harwood, Dr. Howard Wood, C. W. Montgomery, and others. The proceeds are about \$27.

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LETTER FROM MEXICO.

Observation Miles Away.

Bev. Dr. Vosburgh Gives Notes of Observation Miles Away.

Rev. Dr. Vosburgh Gives Notes of Observation Miles Away.

In Merchant street alley last evening, and singular to state she was not fatally in jured, suffering no frectures. The name of the little unfortunate is Jossis, pust two years old. The family occupy the rooms on the third floor over Musler and Peaks & Son's store, and Jossis was in the rear room, with a playmate rolling in croom, with a playmate rolling in one a lower light was broken out. The holes was large enough for a child to slight hough; Jossis was playing near the hole, a trinker tell. Hough. She made a grab for it, and out a she went unseen, although two women were in the room at the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the descent size attention that the room at the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the descent size attention that the room at the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the descent size attention that the room at the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the state of the room and the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the state of the room and the room at the time. It was a frightful fall of nearly 40 feet for the little girl. In the state of the room of the room and the strength of the room of the little girl. In the little girl. In the lips. From the wires also dropped by no colored man, and extraed the part of the lips. From the wires also dropped by no colored man, and extraed up states.

Only Politics.

Last night the Prohibitionists held continued the state of the room of the little girl. The child recognized her mother and at one of the little girl. The child recognized her mother and at one of the little girl. The little girl. The little girl. The little girl was a state of the little girl. The little girl was a state of the little girl was a state of the little girl was a state of the littl The little daughter of Mrs. Ida Gree ccidentally fell out of a third story Rev. Dr. Vosburgh Gives Notes of window upon the cobble stone, pavement a Merchant street alley last evening

Oscar East, of Boment, Nicholas last night.

Mrs. Samuel Smallwood is yet alive but remains unconscious. Miss Lizzie Sutton attended a fashionable social party at Lincoln last night.

A. H. Johnson, blacksmith at Illiopolis, is coming to Decenter to reside. Mayor Kanan took the Central train for the north this noon.

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W. H. Barton, of Mexico, Mo., is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. F. A. Leforgeo.

Mrs. W. J. Huff, who has been attonded by three physicians, cannot recover.

Theo. Ewing, son of S. S. Ewing, late of Kansas City, will probably take a permanent position in the office of the Union Iron Works.

M. S. M. S. Everson and deughter of Concerning this wonderful people and civilization and present a scene of tropical sont and the control of the world. In a few minutes the control of the world of the Concerning this wonderful people and civilization and present civilization and presents a scene of tropical sont properties of the Union of Minosi Unios feet entering the capital the road climbs up a mountain to an elevation of the control of the contr of Kansas City, will probably take a per-manent position in the office of the Union

Mr. and Mrs. Farnam and daughter, of Waltham, Mass., who have been the guests of Supt. Strattan several days, departed for home last night.

Mrs. Wid Baker, who has been sick for the past two months, is suffering a re-lapse since Sunday, at 825 West North

Concording this wonderful people and civiliza-tion we shall have more to say in the near future. We have enjoyed peculiar advantages which have enabled us to study both from the inside. The more we know of Mexico and the Mexicans the more interesting and wonderous do they be-come to us.

Yours Truly,

G. B. V.

Club Moeting.

Mrs. John M. Maris entertained the

members of the 3d Section of the Woman's

ure" was the topic on which Mrs. Judge

Vail and Mrs. Dr. Johns read carefully

Lecture on Mexico.

Dr. Vosburgh will deliver a lecture on

Mexico and The Mexicans," on Thurs

day evening, April 11, at the Baptist

church. Dr. Vosburgh has met many of

the prominent men of the Republic and

will deal largely with the people. [dtd

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forse and worse. We have been voling in an

old shed on a back after for some time and now

we have to go "way out in the country," and

limb a high board fence to get to our voting

place. The present indications are that by the

time of the next election we shall have to go on

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Again we ask, is this deplorable state

affairs to remain or can we have at least a docem-place to exercise the right of franchise."

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to Stevens' Creek and climb a 11-strand barb

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W. H. Kissel, proprietor of the Beach House at Tuscola; Mrs. R. B. Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cook, of Atwood, and J. H. O. Dill, of Bloomington, were Club Thursday afternoon, there being ten lady guests. "Is Housekeeping a Failat the New Deming last night.

Miss Dr. Pierce will leave for Griggsville, Ill., to-morrow morning to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. James Pierce, who died of cancer to-day, aged 48 years. The Doctor will return to De-catur on Monday.

Illiopolis State Centre: Stack Todd oune down from Decatur and engaged with Taylor Dickerson to train his fast horse. On Thesday the horse became fractious, while being driven to a sulky, and kicked Todd on the knee, inflicting a

Mrs. Joseph D. Shaffer was brought to Dacatur yesterday afternoon from Duluth, Minn. She is in a very weak state and had to be carried from the train. She is at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Bradley where it is to be hoped she may soon regain her strength. Mr. Bhaffer and daughter are also here.

Prof. Harry C. Franck, A. M., the teacher of the Franck system of advanced musical elecution and voice building, is in the city to-day on his way to Dubuque and Davenport to organize and instruct classes. He comes from Cincinnati and has been at Columbas twice since he was in Decatur. The Professor is happy and enthusiastic as usual. He is gladly wel-comed by his many friends and admirers

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Purk celebrated their golden wedding yesterday by a fam-ily reunion and dinner at their home on West King street. The couple were married at Jacksonville on April 4, 1839, by Rev. Todd. The children present yesterday to assist the venerable couple in the commemoration of the important anniversary were: Mrs. N. J. Carder, Daid T. Park, Mrs. C. O. Judson, John H., Mary, James, Maggie, Samuel and Manse Park. The grandchildren were: Carrie Knapp, Josie Carder, Julia, Jessie, Nellie, Elmer. Clara, Fred and Annie Park. Mrs. G. W. Skinner and Mrs. Gibson

SILVER Match Boxes, Ice Picks, Teaballs, Brucelets, at Otto E. Curtis &

THE following was the program at the Shellabarger C. E. social: Vocal solo-What's the Harm in a Kiss," Corinne Shellabarger; recitation—"The Last Hymn," Miss Lillian Corman; instrumental solo-"Fresh Life," Miss Anna Henkle; vocal solo-"Your Story and Mine," Miss Jessie R. Steele. Refreshments were served and a nest sum was realized for the use of the society. BEAUTIFUL BEADED CAPES, very cheep.

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Slippers and Rubbers, to be prepared papers. In the spelling bee Mrs. W. T. Wells was the last to sit down. Sides were chosen by Mrs. Wells and Miss Sarah Murphy and Mrs. F. P. Roach pronounced the words. The meeting closed with a delicious supper. closed out at retail in Decatur beginning to-day .-

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he next two **years.**

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terruption and disturbance of prices, but we are going to leave Decatur this time "Hook and Line," and we are obliged to do this way in order to get away as soon as our interests require. Therefore the agony will not be prolonged.

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tained marked success in catering to the wants of the public, and should be accepted as a sufficient guarantee for the future. We can, as before, supply you with the best of everything in our line, and only ask for a continuance of the very liberal patromage heretofore bestowed, being satisfied that we can MEAT all demands made upon us.

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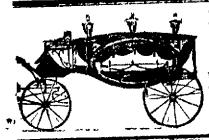
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Administrator's Notice.

Fatate of William Birks, Deceased

J. B. BULLARD,

Has removed from the Old Square to like the Courters, in MASONIO FEMPLE BLOCK ON Water Street where the translation portion in the fineeril business is turnished and attended so in the bighest style of the art (alls alphi aday, will receive prompt attention. In connection, a reconstitution and account of the connection of the connecti



Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Real Estate.

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Notice. To Whom It May Concern Notice is here; y given that at the requier meeting of the city souncil, to be hold on April 18th, 1896, the undersigned will make application for a liceose to sell intoxicating figures at No. 115 Fast Main street, said building soins owned by Joseph Main. marthat are ma brated "Meh

THE INFLUENCE OF THINGS.

A Woman's Whole Life Was Changed b There was once a lady, sober in mind and sedate in manner, whose plain dress exactly represented her desire to be inevery day of her life in actions that should benefit her kind. She was a serious person, inclined to rious person, inclined to improving conversation, to the reading of bound books that cost at least a dollar and a half (fifteen cents of which she gladly contributed to the author), and she had a distaste for the gay society which was mainly a flut-ter of ribbons and talk and pretty faces; and when she meditated, as she did in her spare moments, her heart was sore over the frivolity of life and the empti-ness of fashion She longed to make the world better, and without any priggishness she set it an example of simplicity and sobriety, of cheerful acquiescence in plainness and inconspicuousness One day, it was in the autumn, this

lady had occasion to buy a new hat From a great number offered to her she selected a red one with a dull red plume It did not agree with the rest of her apparel, it did not fit her apparent character What impulse led to this selection the could not explain. She was not fired of being good, but semething in the jauntiness of the hat and the color pleased her If it were a temptation she did not intend to yield to it, but she thought she would take the hat home and try it. Perhaps her nature felt the need of a little warmth. The hat pleased her still more when she got it home and put it on and surveyed herself in the Indeed, there was a new expression in her face that corresponded to the hat She put it off and looked at it. There was something almost humanly winning and temptatious in it. In short she kept it, and when she were it abroad she was not conscious of its incongruity to horself or to her dress, but of the incongruity of the rest of her apparel to the hat, which seemed to have a sort of intelligence of its own, at least a power of changing an i conforming things to itself By degrees one article after another in the lady's wardrobo was laid aside and another substituted for it answered to the demanding spirit of the

In a little while this plain lady was not plain any more, but most gorgeously dressed and possessed with the desire to be in the height of the fashion. It came to this that she had a tea gown made out of a window ourtain with a flamboyant pattern Solomon in all his glory would have been ashamed of himself in her

But this was not all. Her disposition, her ideas, her whole life were changed. She did not any more think of going about doing good, but of amusing herself. She road nothing but stories in paper covers. In place of being sedate and sober minded she was frivolous to excess, she spent most of her time with women who liked to "frivol" She kept Lent in the most expensive way, so as to make the impression upon everybody that she was botter than the extremest kind of Lent From liking the sedatest company she passed to liking the gayest society and the most fashionable method of getting rid of her time. Nothing whatever had happened to her, and she is now an ornament to society —Charles Dudley Warner in Haiper's

Living in Paris. Of living in Paris outside of a hotel know but little, except that a gentleman who has spent a great deal of time here and seen a good deal of society said to me that in no city can one live so absolutely as he pleases as in Paris and still be respectable and fashionable. It was some time before New Yorkers took sible improvement and convenience
High info of that kind was not to their
tasto. But here you find the best people
living upon some narrow street, and you
climb up flight and flight of winding.

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We are authorized to announce to root to be the control of climb up flight and flight of winding stairs until the fourth and fifth and sometimes the sixth stage is reached, where you stop to breathe and wonder how any American could have pitched

his tent so high But once inside the tent your wonder comes, or rather takes another channel, as you find yourself in the large, airy and handsomely furnished rooms where and nandsomely harmshed rooms where so many of our people live quite as comfortable and with far less care than they can at home "I would not go back to America again, with all the worlds of housekeeping, for the world," I heard a lady say, while her companion, fresh from the way they of American has selegating the worles of American housekeeping, was ready to take them again, and would not stay here for all the world And so opinions differ But of the two I think the Parisian housekeeper has the best of it, with better servants, smaller wages and so many troublesome things done outside—no washing or ironing, for this is done by the lanchissouse, and no bread-

making, for the bakers furnish all that, and of an excellent kind, too,—Cor, Springfield Republican An Hour's Spouse. During cold weather some of the

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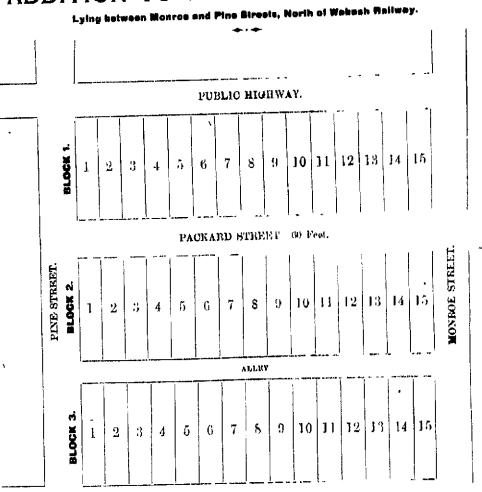
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